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FIRE PREVENTION WEEK.

The Texas Fire Insurance Department of the Board of Insurance Commissioners has designated the week of October 4th to 10th, inclusive, as Fire Prevention Week, the purpose being to arouse the interest of the people in eliminating as many as possible of the fire hazards about their premises.

In connection with the approach of fall and Fire Prevention Week, October 4 to 10, the Department will sponsor, with the aid of the local fire marshals, a statewide "Home Inspection" by the school children. This should be supported with 100 percent cooperation.

During next week, immediately preceding Fire Prevention Week, inspection blanks will be placed in the hands of all school principals. Monday morning, October 5, they are to be distributed to every individual pupil by the respective teachers with a few appropriate fire prevention remarks. They should be returned during the week properly completed and in turn delivered to Mr. L. A. Meeker, Chief of the Hondo Volunteer Fire Co. These completed blanks will form the basis for whatever later program is undertaken.

So when your child brings home one of these blanks, or you are presented with one, do not lay it aside but give it your prompt and careful consideration. It is hoped by the local Fire Company that by a wholehearted cooperation of the people with the plan, purpose and scope of this Fire Prevention Week program to not only minimize the fire hazards in our town, but as a further consequence to secure more favorable fire insurance rates.

In this connection, it might be noted that our local Volunteer Fire Department is in need of repairs and replacements in its equipment, especially in the matter of fire hose. It takes money to purchase and maintain equipment, and if you have not signed up the card recently sent you or paid your pledges to the Company now would be a good time to do so.

ABOUT THE SCENIC LOOP.

At the request of the San Antonio Junior Chamber of Commerce, His Excellency Governor James E. Allred and representatives of the State Highway Commission were entertained at Medina Lake Sunday afternoon and evening after having made the drive from San Antonio via Castroville, Rio Medina and Chff. They were shown the attractions along the way and had pointed out to them the advantages of a state highway connecting the San Antonio-Bandera Highway with Highway 90 at Castroville, thus creating a scenic drive along the lake front and down the Medina Valley. They saw the advantages in a favorable light, but made no promises of an early assumption of the task even with the County furnishing a fenced right-of-way according to required specifications. However, the promoters felt sufficiently encouraged to plan to carry the proposition up to the Highway Commission.

The members of the Commissioners Court of Medina County and several county officials and others from Hondo attended the dinner and supper given in honor of the Governor at Medina Lake. The proposed Highway would intersect Highway No. 90 at the east approach to the bridge at Castroville, thus missing the town proper. Realizing the importance of the Highway, a committee of Castroville citizens headed by Jordan T. Lawler, induced the directors of the Governor's motorcade to cross the bridge, see Castroville and meet some of its people. While in the city the importance of a new bridge, constructed in accordance with the needs of modern motor traffic was duly impressed on the Governor by Mr. Lawler.

NEGRO SINGERS COMING.

The S. P. negro singers of San Antonio will appear here at the Fair Grounds Auditorium Friday, Oct. 2, at 8:30 P. M. These singers have sung for the Schreiner Institute, Kerrville, Texas; Fredericksburg High School, Boerne High School, Weslaco High School, and many white churches of San Antonio, and in the Valley and Southwest Texas. All of these are white institutions. The singers are sponsored by the S. P. Railroad. The S. P. furnishes the singers free transportation in Texas and Louisiana.

There will be plenty of reserved seats for white people. The finances will go to the colored churches of Hondo. The singers are extending a special invitation to the white people. They have been graced with large audiences from the white race as well as their own race.

No doubt a treat is in store for lovers of good singing—and who is not?—and window cards advertising this group of singers announce the modest admission price of only 15c.

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LODGE HAS VISITORS.

Hondo Chapter No. 350, Royal Arch Masons, was honored with an official visit by Grand Visitor M. A. Forbes of San Antonio at a called meeting of the Chapter Wednesday night. The object of Dr. Forbes' visit was to officially inquire into the affairs of the Chapter and to offer suggestions and encouragement to the officers and members.

He took a very liberal attitude towards the local Chapter, and his address was filled with inspiration and wholesome counsel. Discussing Masonry as a moral philosophy based upon an acknowledged dependence upon Deity, but neither posing as a religion nor adhering to any particular creed or sect, he compared Masonry's function in the social relations of the community to the "governor" on a steam-engine. While tolerant of all its conservatism acts as a stop to any extremes that tend to run wild.

In addition to several San Antonio Companions who accompanied Dr. Forbes, a delegation was also present from Lytle Chapter. The visitors were: M. A. Forbes, S.A. Chapter 381, Grand Visitor; A. D. Bivins, Lytle Chapter No. 329; Clinton P. Reed, San Antonio Chapter No. 387; William L. Klutz, Lytle Chapter No. 329; Gus Meyer, Lytle Chapter No. 329; Robert L. Priest, Lytle Chapter No. 329; F. O. Eale, Lytle Chapter No. 329; C. P. Gout, Burleson Chapter No. 21, San Antonio, Texas; Otto F. Dietert, San Antonio Chapter 381.

A TRAGIC DEATH.

Pablo J. Santos, twenty-six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Santos, died at 10:30 o'clock Sunday night, September 20, 1936, from a self-inflicted gunshot wound in the head.

He and his wife were at home alone. They had no children. They had been conversing in a general way and he gave no intimation of any intention of his rash deed. Going into an adjoining room, ostensibly to put out the light preparatory to retiring for the night, a gunshot followed almost immediately. Rushing to him, his wife found him dead with a ghastly wound in his head, inflicted by a bullet from a 30-30 rifle.

He is survived by his wife, his aged parents, four brothers and three sisters. The brothers are Juan, Jesus and Tommy of Hondo, and P. E. Santos of Seguin. The sisters are Mrs. Jose Yvarra of Castroville and Misses Josephine and Rosa Santos of Hondo. The family is one of the most highly respected among the Latin Americans of the town.

The funeral took place Tuesday under the auspices of the Catholic church. Pablo was an employee of the San Antonio Public Service Co.

HONDO METHODIST CHURCH.

Sham M. Hull, Pastor. This coming Sunday will be the last Sunday in our present Sunday School Year. We will observe Promotion Day at the Sunday School hour. In connection with the service this coming Sunday morning, we shall be glad to have the parents who have infants or small children to dedicate to the Lord through Holy baptism to have them present at the beginning of the eleven o'clock service, that they might be baptized at that time. Those who have children to be baptized at that time, who have not already notified the pastor, will please do so before Sunday, that we might have their baptismal certificates ready to be presented at that time.

Our fourth and last Quarterly Conference will be held Wednesday evening, October 7th, at 7:45. Brother Mason, our Presiding Elder, will be with us to hold the service at that time, and also conduct the Quarterly Conference. Please see your Steward between now and then and pay your church dues that same might be reported to the Quarterly Conference.

Our Ice Cream is made fresh daily. Pints 15c, quarts 25c. FLY DRUG CO.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

By special announcement in the parish paper and Anvil Herald, your attention is called to the College Day services to be conducted next Sunday with German at 10:30 and English at 7:30 P. M. Texas Lutheran College at Seguin is sponsoring this service and the Texas District set aside this Sunday in recognition of the work of Texas Lutheran College, and of our other Church Schools. Public-spirited men of our nation know the value of Christian schools for the training of our church and state leadership. A glance at the world situation today should leave no doubt in our minds as to what kind of leaders this nation needs today and tomorrow. You as a Christian and a citizen cannot fail to take an active part in this cause. Let us have the entire family present next Sunday.

The offering envelopes have also reached you. Kindly use them and bring them without fail on next Sunday.

Oct. 4, English service at 10:30, at which time the Christian Elementary Education, a most vital subject for the future growth and well-being of the congregation, will be remembered.

NEW FOUNTAIN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The New Fountain Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Geo. Wiemers September 16, 1936.

The business meeting was opened by the President with a song and a prayer led by Mrs. Geo. Bohmfalk. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The roll was called with fourteen members present.

A motion was made to start our October meeting at two o'clock and the study to begin at two-thirty. It was also decided to paint the kitchen and get new curtains in the bedroom of the parsonage. The Zone meeting held on Sept. 10 was attended by a very good crowd.

The devotional was led by Mrs. F. Stiegler. Mrs. F. Bohmfalk discussed the topic of "Cooperation in Community Evangelism." "At People's Central Institute, (Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)" was discussed by Mrs. Theo. Wiemers. Mrs. Paine read about "Institutional Churches in China" out of the World Outlook.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess. Reporter.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER.

Mrs. Otto Sittre, who before her recent marriage was Miss Hermina Nester of Hondo, was complimented with a miscellaneous shower on the afternoon of Sept. 18, by Mrs. C. A. Haby of Rio Medina. Assisting the hostess were her sisters, Mrs. C. Leck and Mrs. C. R. Haby, and Mrs. J. Sittre, Mrs. A. Oefinger, Mrs. R. W. Sittre, and Miss Winnie Geant. Recipes for the bride, written by the guests, formed a part of the afternoon's entertainment. An alarm clock was set, and the hostess asked the bride to find the time. She found the clock among an array of beautiful and useful gifts.

A plate consisting of fruit salad, smacks, dark and light cake, and iced tea, was served to the guests.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Earl Starnes was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club last week on Thursday afternoon, when she entertained with four tables of bridge. Mrs. T. B. Knopp won high score and Mrs. R. J. Noonan won second high score. Guest prize went to Mrs. Roy Hunter. The hostess served a salad and sweet course to the following members and guests: Mesdames T. B. Knopp, R. J. Noonan, O. B. Taylor, L. E. Heath, L. J. Brucks, H. J. Meyer, W. H. Smith, J. M. Finger, Garland Martin, E. J. Leinweber, Robert Kollman, Roy Hunter, J. G. Barry, M. L. McDowell, Louis Grube, and N. C. Johnson.

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QUIHI NOTES.

And the angel of the Lord called . . . and said . . . because thou hast done this thing . . . in blessing I will bless thee . . . will multiply thy seed . . . thy seed shall possess the gate of his enemies. Gen. 22: 15-17.

Little surprise that Abraham held out in that grim temptation—sacrificing his own son or nearly so—with such a compensation, such a reward, in view. Just a matter of give and take, working with a counterclaim up the sleeve. "Whipped with wire, and stewed in brine, smarting in ling'ring pickle" for a while, and then a wilderness of sweets, enthroned on highest bliss. Was that the scheme? Every deed a seed. Ordinarily, man works with a return, a compensation, a reward, in his mind. "Art pour l'art", indulging in some art for the sake of artistic impulses, but few have it that way. Business, small or big, makes for income; and war, the biggest business of them all, more so than all other business enterprises.

Those governed by patriotic motives, fighting down the blatant temptations, stand in the silent background of the minority; the balance stands for spoils, rewards, good or bad, mostly the latter. The situation after the Civil War, one has described, in substance, like this: Moral standards had touched low water mark; phrases went for honesty; spiritual decay ate its way through the tissue of events; an epoch of rusty souls; money had become the measure of human values; war profiteers, contractors of shoddy goods, manipulators of the stock market, brzen promoters of fake enterprises, that type filled the public eye; millionaires without taste and common decency; finance clamored for a leading place, paid tipsters and red-faced thimble-riggers of the stock market infested every nook and corner, sneering at ethical views and social standards; "the public be damned" snorted one of the main leaders, dazed and crazed as it was, that public. Thus the North. The South had its carpet-baggers, scallawags and iron-clad military rule. About the same picture after every war-victory; the last war even so in a higher degree. The results lie often in the consequences and results, blood-stained and ruinous.

Did Abraham fight his temptation to victory—for a reward? We'll see.

Last Sunday Mrs. John Balzen was laid to rest after a long confinement, due to that fatal accident in April. Many friends and acquaintances stood at her grave and expressed their love and respect by a profuse abundance of flowers. The Quichi church choir sang her farewell songs. For details see the obituary.

The Ladies Aid will meet on October 1st, Thursday next week. If any way possible, come one, come all, for we have important matters to discuss that need urgent attention. Hostesses are the Mesdames C. W. Grell, Geo. Balzen and Otto Neumann.

And here are the assignments for the next League program: Recitations, the Misses Lucille Boehle, Crystal Boehle; select readings, the Misses Agnes Hartmann, Esther Neumann; vocal selections, the Misses Lorine Bohlen, Della Saathoff; instrumental number, Miss Corine Nietenhoefer. We anticipate a fine program as usually.

Our attention is turning more and more to that Community Social on October 29th. The members of the general committee, appointed so far are Misses Hulda Oefinger, Florence Grell, Mrs. Alb. Mumme, and the Messrs. Arnold Reitzer, Otto Lindeburg, Milton Balzen, Roy Bohlen. Other committees will be appointed in due time.

On Monday afternoon our friend, Rev. F. A. Bracher, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Tony Bracher, of Fredericksburg, paid us a fine and interesting visit. The gentleman has just returned from an extensive trip abroad and he got through without a hitch till he, on his return, approached the Fredericksburg City creek and was refused admittance for three hours; heavy rains the cause. No, we are not going to divulge any of his travel narrative, since he has consented to give us a few of his impressions and observations at the Luther League program in November.

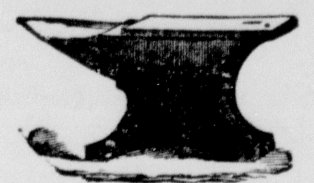
Announcements for September the 27th: German service at New Fountain, 10 A. M.; Sunday school and Junior Bible class at 9; English service at 8 P. M. Render unto God His dues and His day.

DR. AND MRS. SMITH HOSTS.

The Wednesday Night Bridge Club and several guests were entertained Wednesday night with Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith as hosts. Mrs. L. E. Heath and Dr. H. J. Meyer won the club awards and Dr. John Henry Meyer won the guest prize. Orange punch was served during the evening. The personnel was as follows: Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Barry, Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Knopp, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brucks, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman and Dr. John Henry Meyer.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Moved my blacksmith shop to Hondo, west of courthouse at Citizen Garage. Phone 20. W. J. BRUCKS.



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Being News, Views and Reviews

By the
MANAGING EDITOR.

SHEEP & THE CROWD.

By Clayton Rand.

The difference between sheep and the crowd is that folks can't be as easily herded.

However spectacular and inspired leadership becomes there are always a few smart men who discover the political leader's clay feet and selfish purpose.

Some obscure and keen-witted patriot always catches the would-be statesman in the act of grinding his little axe on the backs of the people.

It was a great statesman who said you can't "rook" all the people all the time.

So in times of great political excitement the most valuable citizen in your community is the one that stands serene and apart from the crowd, and watches blind and foolish sheep jump fences.

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WOUNDS FROM WITHIN.

Each time George N. Peek opens his mouth it becomes clearer why President Roosevelt was so anxious to placate him by offering him almost any job at the administration's disposal, writes the New York Herald Tribune. Mr. Peek was one of the pillars of the new deal. He was in the inner circle of President Roosevelt's personal confidants. Early he became disillusioned. Eagerly he tried to resign. Kindly he heeded Mr. Roosevelt's earnest pleas that he stay on. Vainly he took over the management of the Export-Import Bank. Impotently he fought new deal heresies from the inside. Finally he could stomach it no longer and got out.

Since getting out he has told of his experiences in plain terms. Without malice or vindictiveness he has explained in detail how the administration's various farm policies have failed. Each such statement has been more devastating than the last. In his latest he describes how the farm policy has prolonged the farm crisis, enlarged the relief rolls, been dominated by partisanship and defied the laws of nature. He charges that even the laudable purpose of soil conservation has been "prostituted to serve the political ends of an administration determined to evade the decision of the Supreme Court."

Had an outsider and a Republican made such charges he would have been accused of political malice. But it is characteristic of the new deal that the most damning indictments of what it has done and failed to do have come from the President's former intimates or from members of his own party. In Mr. Peek's case the criticism is all the more pointed because he knows whereof he speaks. He has dealt with the sinister Mr. Tugwell and the evangelical Secretary Wallace. As a student of the farm problem for many years he knows that most of the panaceas which they have attempted have been doomed to failure. Nowonder, therefore, that he feels that THE ADMINISTRATION'S FARM POLICY AS A WHOLE HAS INJURED AMERICAN FARMERS AND HELPED THE FARMERS OF FOREIGN LANDS.

It seems about time for Charlie Michelson to get out the old family mud bucket and begin to "smear" Mr. Peek for his treachery in telling what he has seen and for his impudence in saying what he thinks. Mr. Roosevelt must envy Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini their power effectively to silence all their critics.

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LIMITATIONS.

Man in His finite sense Can only speculate On the infinite; 'tis not his To know!

—FLETCHER DAVIS.

MRS. NEUMANN DEAD.

As we hurry to press news comes of the death of Mrs. Anna Neumann, aged 86, of the Quichi community, which occurred about six o'clock this morning (Friday) at the home of a son. The venerable lady had been ill for some time. Funeral arrangements are indefinite at this time.

A more extended obituary will appear in next week's issue of this paper.



Honeymoon Mountain

By Frances S. Wiley Wees

CHAPTER I

Bryn finished his story. Tall, lean, bronzed, he stood before the big crystal mirror hanging over the stone fireplace and examined his chin critically. It was a very nice chin, but Bryn was not in the least concerned with its niceness; he was trying to determine whether Burch had or had not nicked it infinitesimally. It seemed not. Burch had done his usual perfect job.

Tubby, his eyes round and distracted, dropped into one of the deep morocco armchairs and stared out at the dusk. It was pouring like smoke across the bay, sifting through the Golden Gate to blot out the sunset. The daily fleet of fishing vessels, their sails a row of tiny dark triangles against the dimming face of the sun, slipped out once more to brave the perils of the vasty deep. Below the house the waves lapped idly at the white cliff, gentle and harmless.

Tubby was not a philosopher, and he had very little imagination. To Tubby a horse was a horse, usually with four legs and a tail. It was not something over which kingdoms might be lost or with which princesses might be rescued. Waves to Tubby were waves, always wet and often chilly. But now, as he stared down through the wide plate glass window, there was a look of positive inspiration on his face, as if he were telling himself that these waves, at least, might sometimes wash the shores of China, the far, far, dangerous shores of China; that these waves might easily, small and tender though they now appeared, might easily puff and swell and lift themselves to fall with thunder and fury on one of the innocent little vessels drifting now so serenely past the sun. Life was like that, Tubby was convinced.

Tubby put his head down into his hands and groaned. It sounded like a stage groan, although he was certainly sincere about it; and even if it was not his situation, which it wasn't, he felt that someone ought to react to it properly.

"Nonsense," Bryn said briskly. Tubby looked up. His pink cheeks sagged. His mouth drooped. He would have been the picture of dejection if his yellow hair had not insisted on standing on end. But he thought he was the picture of extreme dejection.

"Look here, Bryn," he said in a woe-begone voice, "you can't go through with it. I won't let you. That's final." "Tut-tut," Bryn responded amiably. He pressed a bell on the mantelpiece. Burch, bland and serene, opened the door noiselessly. Bryn looked at him in the mirror.

"A cocktail, Burch, for Mr. Forbes. Perhaps you might put a little peppermint in it. He is a little upset." The faint shadow of a smile hovered over Burch's impassive lips. "And for yourself, sir?"

"Thank you, no. By the way, Burch, I am being married this evening."

There was a moment of dead stillness as if even the waves had halted in their irresistible course. Then Burch swallowed, and said nobly, "Indeed, sir? Do you wish me to procure a maidservant, sir?"

Bryn looked up, startled. "A maidservant? Do we need a maidservant?" "I was thinking of your wife, sir."

"My wife?" Bryn repeated, his eyes coming sharply to Burch's face. Then, "Ah . . . no. She will not be coming here."

"Very good, sir. What shall I pack?" Bryn looked down at the gray suit with which, Tubby had insisted, he was desecrating the evening. He considered. "Well, shirts and things. Nothing else, except those old golf trousers I got so much mud on at Tahoe."

"Yes, sir. Nothing else? No guns? No fishing tackle? No golf clubs?" "Nothing. By the way—I am a young engineer out of work because of the depression wouldn't have, I wouldn't have. I've pawned it."

Burch drew a noticeable deep breath. "Very good, sir. Shall you be here to breakfast?"

"Certainly."

"And . . ."

"No, I said she wasn't coming."

"Ah . . . yes, sir. Lunch?"

"No lunch. I shall be leaving immediately after breakfast, and you needn't prepare dinner until approximately a year from tonight. I will let you know. I shall be away during that time."

"Yes, sir. And the orders for Morton?"

Bryn swung round from the glass. He regarded Burch thoughtfully. "That's so," he said meditatively. "I might have forgotten. Tell Morton to take a spanner, will you, and remove the paint—not all of it, but large, uneven portions—from the Bellaire. Tell him to take a chisel and give it some nice deep scratches. Tell him to make it look like a car I might have bought for about forty-two dollars and fifty cents from a bankrupt gangster. He might bash up the fenders, and if any-

thing further occurs to him . . .

"The Bellaire, sir? The new French motor? The black car?"

"All of those things," Bryn said calmly.

Tubby stood up. His eyes rested on Burch's agitated countenance. He drew a deep breath.

"That's all," Bryn said crisply. "Yes, sir," Burch muttered despondently, and went out.

Tubby was staring at Bryn. "Anybody would think you were in love with the girl," he said.

"Would they? How nice. It sounds so much better. So much more romantic and idyllic. To be in love with one's bride instead of marrying her for her money."

"Money!" Tubby said bitterly. "Money!" He shook his head miserably. "You're making some kind of a d—n fool out of yourself, Bryn. You're letting some gang pull a fast one on you, that's what you're doing. Do you think for a minute that that girl doesn't know who you are?"

"She doesn't," Bryn said calmly.

Tubby snorted. "That's a bright remark, isn't it? Very bright. Now, I ask you, how in God's name could anybody on the Pacific coast help having seen your ugly mug in the papers, how could anybody who can read help knowing about James Weldon Shipley Brynildson Third and his speed boats and his elephant tusks and his seven cars and his polo ponies?"

"I'm sure she can read," Bryn replied, unflinched. "The first time I saw her she was reading over a lot of legal documents up in Holworthy's office."

Tubby eyed him for a long moment. Then he said gustily, "Look here, Bryn. Did it ever occur to you that Ted Holworthy himself might be engineering this beautiful mix-up? Did it?"

"I can't say that it did."

"All this talking he's been doing about her. What did he tell you about her for in the first place? Oh, I know

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he said it was an interesting case, but that was just to get you listening. And now he's gone away just when she puts in her appearance. It all looks pretty funny to me."

"Didn't you think it was an interesting case, Tubby?"

"Well, if it was a case, yes. Certainly. Of course, I thought myself it was interesting. But you notice I didn't get all wrought up about it and start hanging around to get a look at the girl, and even if I had I wouldn't even dream of stepping into a game like this and marrying her myself."

"Neither did I," Bryn said. "I never dreamed of such a thing. But I was curious, I'll admit that. You haven't any curiosity because you haven't got any imagination. If you had, you'd have wanted to look at the man in the case, when he arrived for this wedding to a girl he'd never seen, and then when you saw the man you'd certainly have wanted to get a look at the girl, and when you saw the girl . . ."

Bryn paused. Tubby looked at him curiously, but Bryn coughed and went on immediately. "When you saw the girl you would most assuredly have wanted to know how it was all going to come out. She . . . well, she wasn't his type, Tub."

"You're saying just what I've been trying to say," Tubby cried. "Holworthy's been working on your imagination. He knows what you're like. Well, it's succeeded. Everything's gone according to plan. You're roped. Tonight you're going to marry this girl that you've only seen three times, a girl you don't really know a darn thing about, just because she has some kind of cock-and-bull story about having to get married before her twenty-first birthday and the man she's supposed to marry doesn't happen to take her

fancy. Of course he wouldn't take her fancy with you around. Certainly he wouldn't. That's what it's all about, you darn idiot. You, James Weldon Shipley Brynildson Third. Ye gods and little fishes, aren't there enough men on the coast who would marry her for this fifty thousand dollars she's supposed to be paying you, without you stepping into it? It's so damned absurd. What are you doing it for? Fifty thousand dollars doesn't mean anything to you! And they've got it all worked out so that there'll be plenty of publicity and trouble when you want a divorce . . . you going up into the Oregon backwoods to live with her for a year. So romantic! And she'll turn out to be a cheap little crook, but she'll be married to you all the same and entitled to a lot of your property when the break comes, and your name as well. Doesn't it sound beautiful?"

"Don't be an ass," Bryn said comfortably. "We went to school with Ted Holworthy. Anyway, I happen to know that this business is on the level, because I've known about the case for years. As a matter of fact, it was I who asked Holworthy about it last year, if you'll remember, which you probably won't. I met the old gentleman himself, Deborah's grandfather, when he was here eight years ago fixing the will up with Ted's father. It was just when I was taking over my property and spending a good deal of time in Holworthy's office. The old gentleman was a most interesting old chap, and we had several long conversations. He was intensely concerned about this will he was making, and very anxious to make sure that he was doing the right thing. The old man put the thing up to me as a hypothetical case and asked me what I thought of it. Being a young fool, I thought it sounded fine."

"So now," Tubby said, eyeing him "when it doesn't look as if it might be so fine, you feel responsible? Is that it? Is that why you're throwing yourself away like a sack of soft potatoes?"

Bryn sighed. "I do wish you'd go and change your clothes," he said. "You can't be my best man in a white tie and tails, not when I'm wearing a lounge suit. We'd probably have another earthquake."

"And what about Pilar?"

"Pilar? D'Avillo? What about her?"

"Well, what about her?"

"For two years you've carted her around. She's had a smile for the last 23 months like a mouse in a cheese barrel. Everybody thinks you're going to marry her. She'll go bloomy when she hears this. Have you told her anything at all?"

"How could I tell her? I wasn't sure myself until two hours ago, when I telephoned you. I couldn't telephone her, could I? Hello, Pilar, I'm going to marry a girl in a few minutes. And there's no reason why I should. I've never asked her to marry me, or even hinted about it."

"Well, I don't have to tell her, do I?"

"That's a bright idea," Bryn said happily. "Thanks, old man. I'll do the same for you one of these days."

"What'll happen," Tubby said miserably, "is that she'll have me marrying her myself."

"Well, that's all right," Bryn assured him. "You've always wanted to, anyway. Now, on your way, Tubby. Go and get dressed. Burch will bring your cocktail, and lend you one of his shirts and a collar. You can wear my pants if you're careful not to take a deep breath, but I don't think you'd better try buttoning the coat. All in keeping . . . she'll think you got them second hand."

"Marry Pilar?"

"Certainly. She's just the wife for you. There's the blood of the conquistadores in Pilar. It'll take that to keep you from getting any fatter. Go on. You've only got five minutes."

(To be continued)

SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET, SEPT. 21, 1936.

(Federal-State Market News Service)

Cattle, estimated receipts 300, calves 500. Supplies were light on the San Antonio market Monday account of rainy weather, trading was active and most classes moved out actively at steady to strong prices with last week's close. Steers and fed yearlings were in light supply. Plain grass steers were slow in instances.

Good fat calves and light weight yearlings cashed at \$5.25 to \$5.75 with several lots of heavy calves and yearlings to \$6.00. Medium offerings sold around \$4.25 to \$5.00 with rannies down to \$3.50. Good fat cows brought \$4.25 to \$4.50, common to medium kinds cashed around \$3.25 to \$4.00 with low cutters down to \$2.75. Weighty bulls sold actively at \$4.50 and down. A few short fed 750 pound yearlings cashed at \$7.00 to \$7.50 with plain offerings down to \$5.40 and below. Odd lots plain grass steers brought from \$4.00 to \$5.00. No good fat steers were on offer early. Stocker calves and light weight yearlings ranged from \$4.25 to \$5.25.

Hogs, receipts 400. The market was fairly active and generally steady with last week's close. Packing sows were weak, spots 25c lower. A liberal portion of receipts were lights and unfinished offerings and these sold slowly. Bulk of the good to choice 180 to 250 pound butchers \$9.25 to \$9.50, latter top to all interests. Best 140 to 160 pounds \$8.25 to \$9.00, 160 to 180 pounds mostly \$9.00 to \$9.50, and 200 to 300 pounds around \$9.00 to \$9.50. Packing sows cashed mostly at \$8.00 to \$8.25, few \$8.50.

Sheep, receipts none, goats 100. Quotably steady. No fat lambs here early. Few thin aged wethers brought \$3.25 to \$3.75. Goats sold mostly \$2.50, thin offering down to \$1.75.

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WATER RESOURCES.

Underground water resources of Uvalde and Medina Counties, Texas, Report prepared through cooperation between the Texas Board of Water Engineers and the United States Geological Survey.

The rivers of Uvalde and Medina Counties lose 150,000 acre-feet (the equivalent of a continuous flow of 134,000,000 gallons a day) into the Edwards limestone annually, according to a report just published by the United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior, as Water-Supply Paper 678. The report gives the principal results of an investigation by the Geological Survey in cooperation with the Texas Board of Water Engineers which was begun in 1929 and is still in progress.

The outstanding conclusions are that considerable additional development of irrigation by ground water from the Edwards limestone can be made in the vicinity of Uvalde, where the limestone is relatively close to the surface and the depth to water in wells in the limestone is less than 100 feet. However, over most parts of the two counties either the static level is so low that the water cannot be economically pumped for irrigation or the limestone is so deep that the cost of drilling a well to it for irrigation is prohibitive.

The limestone crops out along the Balcones escarpment, in the northern part of these counties, and dips in general to the south or southeast beneath younger formations to increasingly greater depths, so that in the southern part of the counties it is 2,000 to 3,000 feet beneath the surface.

The smaller streams as well as the larger ones lose heavily where they cross the outcrop, and additional water from rainfall reaches the limestone by direct penetration. The total water entering the formation greatly exceeds 150,000 acre-feet. The water moves from the outcrop through tortuous channels in the formation, generally in a southerly direction down the dip, but in places it apparently moves approximately at right angles to the dip along solution channels and fault lines that have east-west trends. A part of this water escapes from the formation into the gravel in the valley of the Leona River by upward movement along fault planes and thence moves laterally in the gravel to form springs in the banks of the river. A small part of the water is withdrawn by wells, but the combined withdrawal by wells and springs in these two counties is less than one-fourth of the water entering the formation from the streams. The water in the Edwards limestone in the southern parts of these counties is highly mineralized, indicating that there is little movement in that direction. Hence the major part of the water that enters the formation must move either to the east or to the west.

Water levels in the Edwards limestone fluctuated 30 to 40 feet in the period from 1929 to 1934. These fluctuations are directly correlated with fluctuations in rainfall and stream flow but generally lag materially behind them.

Besides the Edwards limestone, the Leona gravel and the Carrizo sand are the only formations in the area that yield any considerable amount of water. The Carrizo sand, which supplies most of the irrigation

water in the counties to the south of Uvalde and Medina Counties but used there only to supply water for domestic purposes and livestock.

The report includes a description of the geology of the area, a geological map, maps showing the altitude of the water-pressure surface in the Edwards limestone, and description of all wells visited during the course of the investigation.

SUMMER.

Summer has fragrance,
Lily and rose,
Odors that gladden
The eager nose;
But I praise summer
The whole day long,
For it has music,
And I like song.

Summer for feasting
And some men think
That life is fashioned
For food and drink,
But I know summer
Is Nature's choice,
It is so vocal,
And I like voice.

Summer has color,
Yellow and blue,
Orchid and crimson,
And purple too,
But I give summer
My praise profound,
Summer has singing,
And I like sound.

—LALIA M. THORNTON

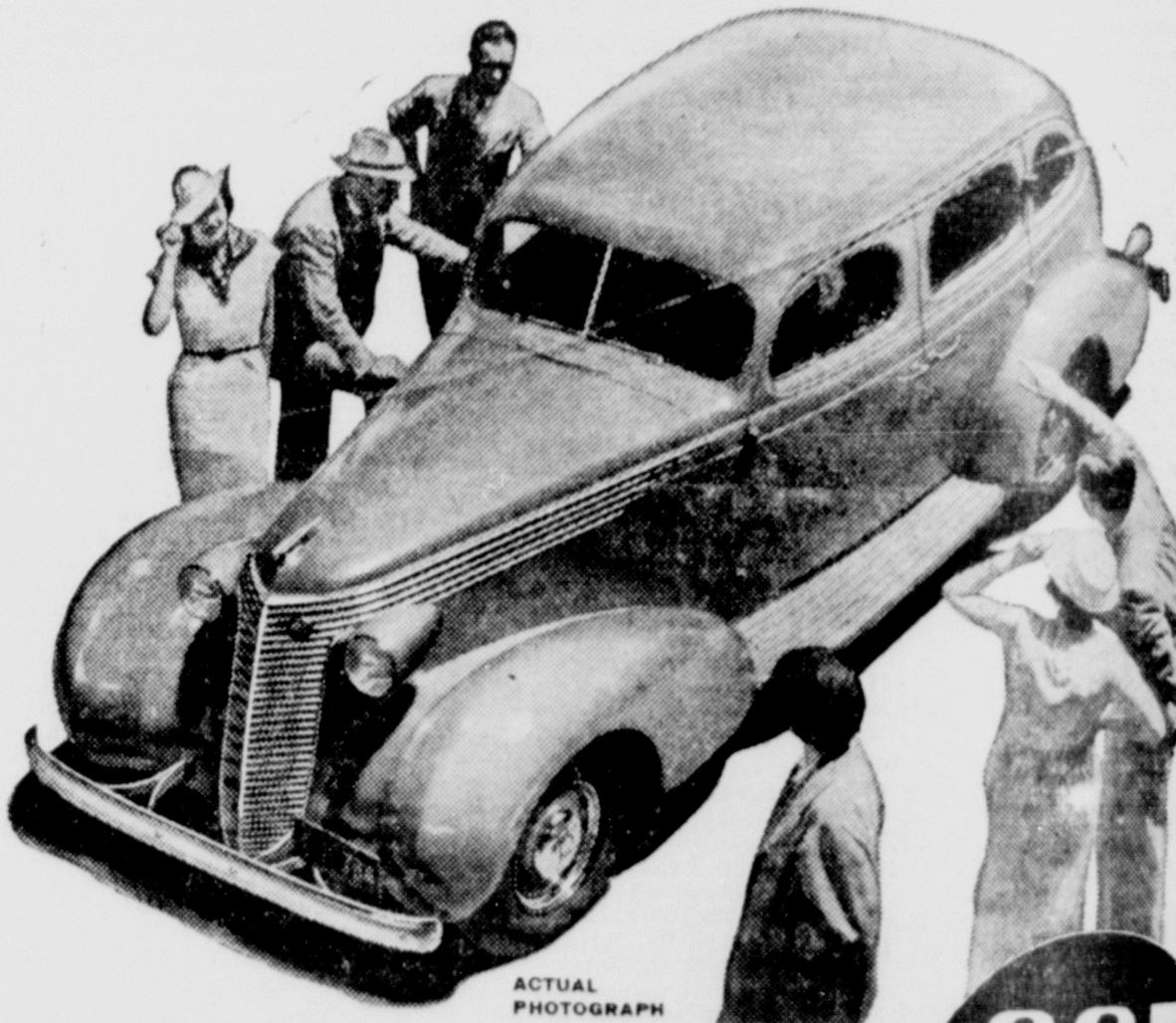
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News Review of Current Events the World Over

Senator Couzens Defeated in Michigan Primaries—Maine Recaptured by Republicans—Notable Gathering of Savants at Harvard Tercentenary.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

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REPUBLICANS were highly gratified by the results of the Michigan primary election for two reasons: First, because three out of four persons who voted for Republican ballots; second, because a use Senator James Couzens, a Republican who has been declared that he is supporting President Roosevelt for re-election, lost his fight for re-nomination. Couzens is one of the healthiest members of the senate, having been badly defeated by former Gov. William M. Brucker, and there is more than a suspicion that he knew this before-hand. Brucker, who is only forty-two years old, has been in public life for almost twenty years. The Republicans re-nominated Frank D. Fitzgerald for the governorship.



Sen. Couzens

On the Democratic side Representative Prentiss M. Brown won the senatorial nomination against Louis B. Ward who was supported by Father Coughlin. For governor they chose Frank Murphy, high commissioner to the Philippines and former mayor of Detroit. Both Murphy and his defeated opponent, George Welsh, campaigned as Roosevelt supporters.

In the New Hampshire primaries Gov. H. Styles Bridges won the Republican senatorial nomination, ending the effort of former Senator George H. Moses to stage a comeback. The Democrats put up Representative William N. Rogers. Nominees for governor are Maj. Francis P. Murphy, Republican, and James N. Blandin, Democrat.

Massachusetts will have for senator either Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., Republican, or James M. Curley, Democrat. John W. F. Briggs, Republican, and Charles F. Briggs, Democrat, were nominated for the governorship.

The gubernatorial nominees in Wisconsin are: Gov. Philip La Follette, Progressive; Alexander W. Hays, Republican, and Arthur W. Hays, Democrat.

MAINE, the "barometer" state, is back in the Republican column at least so far as its state ticket is concerned. The U. S. P. captured the United States senatorship, the governorship and three congressional seats. Senator Wallace H. White, Republican, defeated Gov. Louis J. Brann, who sought re-election. Lewis O. Barrows, Republican, won the governorship by a substantial majority over F. Harold Dubord, Democrat.

The vote cast broke all records in size and interest in the election. The state had been divided by both President Roosevelt, who returned from his vacation in Maine, and Gov. Alf M. Landon, Republican Presidential nominee, who made speeches there only a few days ago. Colonel Knox, vice presidential candidate on the Republican ticket, also had canvassed the state. Brann, who was elected governor in 1932 and re-elected two years later, was the first Democrat to hold that office in Maine and personally popular. White was elected senator in 1930 after ten years in the house.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE WALLACE has approved the \$10,000,000 seed corn loan program of the AAA. The government will advance farmers two types of loans on seed corn stored on the farm. Advances of \$1.75 a bushel will be made to farmers on 1,000,000 bushels of selected corn. The government will have the option of buying this corn at \$3.50 a bushel by April 1, 1937.

The second type of loan permits advances of 55 cents a bushel on good quality and properly stored seed corn which can be sorted and sold at a later date. On the other type of loan the government retains the right to purchase the material at \$1.50 a bushel until April 1 next.

It is understood the Reconstruction Finance corporation has agreed to advance up to \$10,000,000 under a loan program. The loans will be made to farmers through the commodity credit corporation. The interest rate on the new loans will be 4 per cent, the same as in effect under the old corn loan program.

FEDERAL government help in controlling their business has been asked by two large sections of the tobacco industry.

The Retail Tobacco Dealers of America, Inc., representing about 10,000 retailers of tobacco products, requested the federal trade commission to authorize a trade practice conference with a view to formulating rules for the elimination of unfair methods of competition and trade abuses.

Representatives from nine tobacco-producing states wound up a two-

day conference in Washington with a request addressed to the agricultural adjustment administration to draft a model production control bill.

TO THE sixty-sixth annual congress of the American Prison association, held in Chicago, was presented a report from the committee on crime prevention in which it was stated that the tactics of a certain class of lawyers in defending persons charged with crime have the effect of encouraging criminals to repeat their offenses. The committee declared that 75 per cent of the prisoners now in penal institutions in this country had been "literally faced about into a career of crime" by their experiences with defense attorneys.

The coaching of the attorney tended to help the defendant find an alibi for his misdeeds and a sedative for his conscience, according to the report, when public welfare should have guided the lawyer to conduct "which would quicken the sensibilities of the prisoner and awaken him to his own misdeeds."

The committee recommended more scientific methods in preventing and combating crime and it estimated that the country's annual crime cost is \$15,000,000,000—"one-fourth of the national income; half of the war debt."

FOR the first time in seven years the United States is to have a squadron in European Atlantic waters. It is known as "Squadron 40-temporary" and Rear Admiral Arthur P. Fairfield was named as its commander. Admiral Fairfield hoisted his flag aboard the light cruiser Raleigh at the Norfolk navy yard and sailed for Gibraltar. At first the squadron will consist of the flagship Raleigh, the destroyers Kane and Hatfield and the coast guard cutter Cayuga, but navy officials expected its strength would be increased soon.

The Hatfield, Kane and Cayuga had been on emergency duty in Spanish waters since the outbreak of the Spanish revolt until they were withdrawn to nearby neutral ports following the attempted bombing of the Kane by an unknown plane off Cadiz last August 30.

IT IS pleasant to turn from war and politics and read of the doings at Cambridge, Mass., where Harvard university is celebrating the tercentenary of its founding. In Sanders theater was held the academic reception for 554 scholars representing 502 universities, colleges and learned societies in every state of the Union and in forty foreign countries, and all of them wearing the caps, gowns and hoods signifying their various degrees of scholarship.

President James B. Conant greeted the guests, accepted their credentials and delivered a simple address of welcome. He noted that the assembly was an impressive demonstration of the solidarity of the academic world, and saw in the greetings of the delegates "the continued aspiration of mankind toward a universal fellowship based on human reason."

Responding on behalf of the delegates, Prof. Elie Cartan of the University of Paris paid tribute to Harvard's contributions to education and declared that "no barrier, political, religious or social, should be erected to stop the search for truth."

When the delegates were called up in the order of the age of the institutions they represented, first to respond was Prof. Saleh Hashem Attia of Al-Azhar university of Cairo, founded in 970. Then came the next oldest, the Regia university, Neglie Stuni Bologna, founded in the Tenth century, and represented by Prof. Carrado Gini. Third was the University of Paris, founded in the Eleventh century, whose representative was Dr. Cartan. Oxford, Cambridge and all the others followed, down to the youngest represented, the Academia Sinica of Nanking, China.

World famous educators, scientists and men of letters including ten Nobel prize winners, were among those who attended the reception.

FRANCE'S famous polar explorer, Dr. Jean Charcot, and 59 of the crew of 60 aboard the exploration ship Pourquoi Pas were drowned when the vessel foundered in a gale off the Iceland coast. One petty officer swam ashore and told of the tragedy. Charcot led two expeditions to the Antarctic and a region there is named for him, Charcotland. In 1925, when one of Roald Amundsen's north polar expeditions was missing, Charcot searched the east coast of Greenland in the Pourquoi Pas.



Dr. James B. Conant

POPE PIUS XI may be physically weak, as recent reports say, but age and illness have not lessened the vigor of his opinions and his way of expressing them. In greeting and blessing some five hundred Spanish refugees who were received at Castel Gandolfo, the holy father took occasion to denounce strongly the "mad" forces of Communism which, he declared, menaced, in Spain and elsewhere, "the very foundations of all order, all culture and all civilization." He urged the constituted authorities of all nations to oppose "these great evils with every remedy and barrier that is possible" and prophesied that there will be utter chaos if "those who have a duty in the matter do not hasten to repair the breach—if, indeed, it is not already too late."

Pope Pius XI

The pope spoke especially of the situation in Spain, but said the crisis there is "a school in which the most serious lesson is being taught to Europe and to the whole world—to a world now at last wholly steeped, ensnared and threatened by subversive propaganda, and more especially to a Europe battered and shaken to its very foundations."

For forty minutes the pontiff spoke passionately, his voice at times broken with emotion, and his address was transmitted by radio to all the civilized world. Reichsfuehrer Hitler, too, took another hard whack at the Communists at a ceremonial tribute to the World war dead in Nuremberg. Before 120,000 uniformed Nazis and 50,000 others he boasted of Germany's armed strength and shouted:

"Our old enemy, bolshevism, is vanquished within Germany, but still active around her borders. But let no one be deceived. We are ready at any hour. We all have one wish—to maintain peace—but with it goes one firm decision: Never to surrender Germany to that enemy we have come to know so well."

If Hitler, as some think, tries to lead the coming five-power Locarno conference into forming an anti-Soviet alliance, he will be firmly opposed by France. Foreign Minister Yvon Delbos says so, and declares France will under no circumstances abandon her military pact with Soviet Russia. According to Pravda, authoritative newspaper of Moscow, Hitler plans to attack and partition Czechoslovakia before he embarks on a war against the Soviet Union.

Benito Mussolini and his cabinet appropriated large sums to build up Italy's army, navy and air forces to greater strength and planned to carry on vigorously the campaign for self-sufficiency in raw materials. It looked as if the dove of peace was preparing to leave Europe, and as relations between Japan and China grew more strained every day, she probably will have to take refuge on the western continent.

THE Spanish rebels scored their greatest victory to date when they captured San Sebastian, capital of Guipuzcoa province and famous Bay of Biscay resort. Santa Barbara fort, dominating the city, was first taken and the city's war council then decided to abandon the place, despite the opposition of the anarchists. The more conservative Basque nationalists prevented the rebels from burning the city, only a paper factory and two residences being destroyed, and the defending forces retreated toward Bilbao, accompanied by thousands of civilians and foreigners. Insurgent troops, commanded by Col. Jose Beorlegui, marched in and were ceremoniously reviewed, and the bishop of Pamplona officiated at a thanksgiving service.

The municipal governor, Antonio Ortega, and his staff boarded a yacht to go to new headquarters at Zumaya, about 15 miles west of San Sebastian. The new line of defense was established at Orrio.

Government spokesmen claimed considerable victories in the Talavera sector southwest of Madrid and not far from the Portuguese border.

OUR navy's intelligence department has discovered that a recent small fire on the cruiser Indianapolis while she was being overhauled in the New York navy yard was caused by the driving of phonograph needles and nails into an electric cable; and other suspected sabotage on war vessels is being investigated. The work on the cruiser was being done by civilian employees and Capt. Charles A. Dunn, industrial manager of the yard, said the placing of the nails in the cables was "undoubtedly" a deliberate attempt to damage the cruiser.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE WALLACE is arranging a series of community meetings of farmers for the purpose of laying out the "agricultural conservation program" for next year. He said the AAA planned the meetings in the farm areas in order to discuss crop insurance and possible maximum limits of benefit payments to each farm. He explained the program aimed at providing "greater abundance for the average American home," and should "help to check soil erosion, improve fertility, encourage better land use and maintain farm income."

Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted By WILLIAM BRUCKART

Washington.—The Department of Commerce has lately released its annual "World Economic Review," and again has painted offi-

cially a picture of general conditions that I believe to be the most accurate obtainable under present chaotic conditions. I might add that it is one of the few official analyses coming out from the government these days that is not colored in any manner or form.

The reason this review is so interesting is because it points out what can be expected to happen by a disclosure in detail of what has happened in commerce and industry. To that extent it delivers a rather definite body blow at some New Deal policies affecting business. Since it does this sort of thing, the review is entitled to more faith and credit than usually is accorded government publications, whether compiled by the Roosevelt administration or those before it. Political leaders always want to put their best foot forward and the New Deal under Mr. Roosevelt has not failed to carry on this tradition to the fullest possible extent.

The section of the "World Economic Review" that was most interesting to me contained this statement:

"Deficits of great magnitude created yearly during the depression to meet payments of wages, salaries, interest and dividends sapped the vitality of the entire business structure and could not have been sustained indefinitely."

Here then is an official declaration from that agency of the government most concerned with commerce and industry which says that corporations and employers of labor maintained as far as they were able the payrolls and interest payments during the depression. It says likewise that had corporations failed to do this, our unemployment problem would have been much greater, the income of those who hold securities, whether in large or small amount, would not have received dividends on their stocks or interest on the bonds and, as a result, it is obvious the buying power of the country as a whole would have been sharply reduced. That is to say, had these payments both to labor and capital, been curtailed there would have been even a lower level of retail business than obtained during the depression. It ought to be added as well that had a lower level of business resulted, the manufacturing industries from which the retail stores buy their supplies would have closed down their plants in even greater number than they did.

As we look back over the last five or six years it is easy to see how things could have been very much worse. It is easy to recognize that the strength that comes from amassing capital in corporation form has developed in this country one of the greatest shock absorbers that any people may have when those corporations, those businesses, are permitted to develop under sound management and with as little governmental interference as the general public welfare will permit.

Now, as to the reason why these businesses were able to accomplish the things they did: The answer is simple. Managements of businesses must follow the same practices in guiding the financial affairs of those businesses as you or I do in the management of our personal affairs.

This brings us to a point of current interest. In preparing for the rainy day, all business, whether great or small, lays aside a certain percentage of its profits. This is called a surplus. The surplus is invested. It is made to yield a return in the form of interest or dividends. It is seldom touched. It is treated just as you and I would treat our savings accounts—just as we deal with our Christmas savings account.

Thus, the arrival of slack times, dull business, no profits, the arrival of the time when we must live on our own fat so to speak, does not find us without a reserve because that is what a surplus is. The records of the savings bank and of the life insurance companies through the last six years show definitely how many hundreds of thousands of people had to draw on that surplus just as the Department of Commerce statement now reveals how many corporations drew upon their surpluses in order to maintain their organizations, pay the workers and be honest by paying the interest on their debts. All of this sounds like a chautauqua lecture on savings. But however it may sound, it links in directly to legislation that was enacted in the last session of Congress, a law driven through under the lash of President Roosevelt after it was conceived by a bunch of radicals who constitute the majority of the

so-called brain trust at Washington.

That law levies a new tax on corporations. It does not touch us as individuals except indirectly. The tax applies to surplus, to the savings of business, a savings designed to meet just such conditions as those through which we have gone and which business was able to meet because heretofore it had been permitted to pile up reserves to carry it through the rainy day.

Official figures from the Department of Commerce show that the payments for wages, salaries, interest and dividends from 1930 to 1934 amounted to \$21,238,000,000. In 1935, according to incomplete figures, business paid out \$1,500,000,000 for these same purposes, thus making the total for five years approximately \$23,000,000,000.

Now, in normal times these figures would not prove exciting. Under present circumstances and those through which we have been passing, they border on the sensational. This is true because these payments have been made, not from the earnings of the businesses during the years in which they were paid, but from earnings of earlier good years when a part of the profits were laid aside as a protection.

It would seem therefore that since business has performed a social service of this kind under its own management that it ought to be allowed to continue. I am convinced that it is a much safer method than to have the federal government mess around through laws such as the tax on surpluses for it must be remembered that under the law which I have criticized, no corporation can build up again such surplus as has happened in the past.

I might mention further that the effect of this law is going to be to prevent small corporations from ever growing large. I mean by that, if a corporation, through careful management and frugal savings, was able to expand its plant facilities, increase its production and thereby increase the number of workers it employs, it will be unable to do so. It will be unable to accomplish this for the reason that the operation of this tax law prevents it from storing its savings. The law takes such a heavy toll of any stored-up earnings that no corporation can afford to store them up. They must be passed out in dividends during the year they are earned or else the government puts its tax hand into the business treasury.

One might say that such a distribution is helpful and undoubtedly in the cases of some owners of securities it is helpful. But questions of this kind must be treated in the whole and not on the basis of isolated cases. Consequently, it takes no stretch of the imagination to see how a business is forced to distribute its earnings, to distribute them in good times when a comparatively small number of its security owners need the funds—and the result is obviously a shortage of reserve for that rainy day. In other words, a corporation is compelled to be a spendthrift or else pay a tax that is designed as a punishment.

There is another phase of these payments by businesses that deserves attention. The dividend payments, in fact, many of the earnings reports of business lately have shown a decided up-turn. This circumstance has prompted Democratic Chairman Farley and Attorney General Cummings to enthrone somewhat about business recovery. Each of them insist in recent political statements that prosperity actually is here; that it is not "just around the corner," as Mr. Hoover once predicted while he was president.

But there should be some attention paid to the meaning of the dividend payments and increased earnings. They should be analyzed. It is true that some industries, like the automobile industry, for example, have increased production beyond the hope of any students of economics and that they have restored to their payrolls a considerable percentage of the workers they once employed. Some other industries likewise have moved forward and promise to get on their feet again in sound fashion. Yet I find a number of authorities in the business world who continue to be doubtful. They fear that the foundation is not sound.

These facts have not deterred Mr. Farley and Mr. Cummings from shouting from the house-tops that this is prosperity, resulting from Roosevelt policies. Their declarations, however, are just as fallacious, just as political as some political pronouncements that I have heard from the Republican side to the effect that business is picking up because of prospects of electing Governor Landon as President. All of these statements in my opinion are pure hokum for the reason that the facts generally speaking do not bear out any of them.

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OUR SPECIAL FOR THE WEEK
—Delicious Fresh Peach Ice Cream.
Made every day. FLY DRUG CO.
Miss Thelma Lynch, who is teach-
ing at Crystal City, spent last week-
end here with her aunt, Miss Louisa
Metzger.
**IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN,
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Sale - Sale SAVE—SAVE AT OUR NYAL 2 for 1 Sale

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Remember the date and
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| 10c Nyal Asperin, 2 for | 10c |
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| 50c Throat Gargle, 2 for | 50c |
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Tablets, 2 for | \$1.00 |
| 35c Hinkle Tabs, 2 for | 35c |
| 25c Nyseptol Tooth Paste,
2 for | 25c |
| 50c Rectone Ointment,
2 for | 50c |
| 50c Nyal Milk Magnesia,
2 for | 50c |
| 50c Nyseptol Mouth Wash,
2 for | 50c |
| 25c Nyal Magnesia Tooth
Paste, 2 for | 25c |
| 35c Nyal Nose Drops, 2 for | 35c |
| 50c Pint Witch Hazel, 2 for | 50c |
| 25c Corn Remover, 2 for | 25c |
| 50c Ultra Almond Cream
2 for | 50c |
| 35c Nyal Salts, 2 for | 35c |
| 50c Lilac Hair Oil, 2 for | 50c |
| 50c Muriel Astor Face Powder
2 for | 50c |
| 50c Muriel Astor Cleansing
Cream, 2 for | 50c |
| 50c Par Shaving Cream,
2 for | 50c |
- And many other Bargains
during this Sale. Be sure to
come to it.

If you do not see what you
want ask us.

LET US BE YOUR
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In business for your health
since 1898

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Promotion Day exercises are to be
observed Sunday morning, Sept. 27,
throughout the Sunday School of the
Baptist Church. Mrs. Henry Win-
drow will direct the promotion exer-
cises. Those taking part are listed
below by departments and classes:
Cradle Roll Department:
Miss Gladys Fusselman, teacher.
Richard McWilliams
Edna Lucille Turner
Janie Lou Williams
Newell Earl Woolls
Charles Baker
Jimmie Moore
Beginners Department:
Mrs. Russell Chapman, teacher.
Jimmie Barry
Julia Mazell Crow
Jean Pauline Taylor
Primary Department:
Mrs. W. E. Baker, teacher, seven
year class.
Mary Beth Barry
Alice Crow
Betty Ann Garrison
Elsie Baker
Marjory Taylor
Lurley Crisp
Mary Emma Rucker
Mrs. Henry Windrow, teacher, 8-
year class.
Arthur Lee Embrey
Glenn McWilliams
Lela Moore
James Abbott Williams
Catherine Woolls
Junior Department:
Mrs. H. H. Crow, teacher, nine
year class.
Patsy Lou Kollman
Don Peters
Anna Leah Rucker
William B. Summers
Mrs. James W. Askew, teacher, 10-
year class.
Frances Beal
John Henry Embrey
Edith Crow
Mary Elizabeth Moore
Dolores Taylor
Betty Jean Hall
Lois Summers
Lola Crisp
Eleven year class.
Jimmie Duncan
Marcellus Garrison
Nellie Mae Scott
Bernice Taylor
Margarette Woolls
Bruce Gray
Miss Bernice Speece, teacher, 12-
year class.
Orville Baker
Dorothy Mae Johnson
Ellen Moore
Frances Ruth Rucker
Walter Speece
C. C. Dawson.
Promoted to Intermediate Depart-
ment:
Jonelle Gaines
Dolly Taylor
Sunday School 10 A. M., promptly.
Preaching 11 A. M. Subject, "An
Upward Look".
E. T. U., 6:45 P. M.
Preaching, 7:45 P. M. Subject,
"Yoked With Christ".
Henry Windrow, Sunday School
Superintendent.
James W. Askew, Pastor.
The All Church Week of Prayer
for State Missions begins Monday at
7:45 P. M., and will continue each
night through Friday.
Mrs. Andrew Schuehle, W. M. U.
President.
The public is cordially invited to
all services.

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RAKES. LEINWEBER'S.**

No ice to bother with. Try a
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**L. J. Brucks, lawyer, is now lo-
cated next to Beal's Barber Shop. tf**

Flowers for all occasions. Order
from **ROTHE'S CONFECTIONERY.**
A number of used ice boxes for
sale. Apply to **HONDO ICE CO.** tf

Miss Mary Emma Finger returned
last week to Incarnate Word College
where she enrolled as a Junior.
AMBULANCE SERVICE any-
where, DAY or NIGHT. John A.
Hogger, Funeral Director. Phone 75.
er.

Mrs. Armin Schneider of Riome-
dina entered Medina Hospital on
September 22nd for medical treat-
ment.

Born, Friday, September 18, 1936,
to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richards of
Tarpley, a 6 1-4 lb. baby girl, at the
Medina Hospital.

Mrs. Arthur Holzhaus of Castro-
ville entered Medina Hospital on
September 20th for several days'
medical treatment.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass and
Mrs. Fletcher Davis were visitors in
Devine Monday, the Judge having
gone on legal matters.

Mr. R. J. Reily this week
orders the paper sent to his daugh-
ter, Miss Lela Grace Reily, who is
enrolled at Baylor University at
Waco.

Mrs. W. G. Muennink sends the
paper this week to her son, Kyle,
who is one of the Hondo boys at-
tending Schriener Institute at Kerr-
ville.

Albert Haegelin left Sunday for
A. and M. College where he will re-
sume his studies. His brother, Joe,
left for the same school last week on
Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Amberson are
receiving congratulations on the
birth of a 7-pound 8-oz. baby boy,
Saturday, September 19, 1936, at the
Medina Hospital.

H. E. Haass, Attorney-at-Law
Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hon-
do, Texas. All legal matters care-
fully attended to, in all courts of
Texas. Manager Medina County At-
tract Company.

F. H. Hatzenbuehler, representing
the B. F. Goodrich Tire Company,
was here yesterday in the interest of
his company. Before depression days
Goodrich tires were frequently ad-
vertised in this paper.

Geo. B. Noonan was a Hondo visitor
yesterday. Geo. says he has the
finest grass on his place he has ever
had before at this season of the
year, and all kinds of live-stock,
even to the pet game chickens, are
doing fine.

Clarence Haby of Cliff, owner of
the famous race-horse, Knee Action,
was here Monday arranging for a
race with Sharp Whitley's Cyclone
to be run at the Fair Grounds track
on October 4th. See announcement
on last page.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. JOHN BALZEN.

Though not originating in this
community or county, yet through
many years of residence, affiliated
with a prominent family by marriage
and her ready interest in all matters
of importance, moreover through a
painful accident and her heroic suf-
fering during many agonizing days,
Mrs. Balzen was well known and had
endeared herself to many hearts in
this section; and it is with a sorrow-
ing heart that we write the farewell
survey of her life, a life seemingly
ending in gloom and heavy clouds,
yet still surrounded by the brightness
of victory in Jesus Christ, her Lord.

Though many and important pa-
pers were lost in transit, we are able
to give the essential features of her
past.

Katherine Stickelmann was her
maiden name, being the daughter of
Michael Stickelmann. She was born
on March 15, 1870, at Cincinnati,
Ohio. There she was baptized and
received her first schooling. Her
parents moved to St. Louis, Mo.,
when the daughter was eight years
old, and there she finished her school-
ing and catechetical instruction and
was confirmed. Partly at home, part-
ly working outside, she met the stern
realities of life at an early age. Rip-
ening into womanhood she was mar-
ried to Bernhard Hoenschmeyer in
1891. Five children were born to the
young couple, all daughters and all
alive with the exception of one child
who died in early infancy.

The union was a happy one though
now and then clouded by the sick-
ness of the husband which seemed to
be aggravated by the severe northern
climate. Upon medical advice the
husband tried the southern climate,
coming to San Antonio, Texas, in
1902, and having improved nicely and
resuming his former work with good
success, the family followed in 1903
and made their home in San Antonio.

For many years things ran fairly
normal till the old sickness seemed
to get a fresh hold on the father of
the family and though the best medi-
cal attention was resorted to, the pa-
tient died in 1918. Three years of
widowhood followed, but cheered
and eased by the fine cooperation of
her children who always had been a
fine stand-by when days seemed
dark and dreary. They were the
sunshine of her life to the last min-
ute of her earthly existence, especial-
ly in the months of her sad and last
affliction, and, to say it beforehand,
faithfully joined, during that period,
by several members of the Balzen
family.

In 1921 she was united in holy
wedlock with Mr. John Balzen and
she moved to upper Quilhi, doing her
best to fit herself into the new sur-
roundings and new problems. And
she succeeded well.

There she became affiliated with
the Bethlehem Lutheran Church at
Quilhi, coming often to the house of
God with happy heart, joining the
Ladies' Aid, giving full support and
cooperation, becoming fully identi-
fied with the interests and ups and
downs of this community.

But again the Lord had different
thoughts and terminated that stretch
of happiness rather abruptly. On
April the 5th, Palm Sunday, having
attended church as usual, due to a
momentary swoon while standing at
the lit gasoline range, she turned the
stove over, though over 300 lbs. in
weight, and the burning gasoline left
her in a frightful condition, leaving
little hope for recovery.

Many months at the hospital she
made little progress, though medical
skill and careful nursing, love and
kindness, did their best to ease the
terrible pain and promote her to nor-
mal conditions. After three months
in the hospital, she left for home un-
der a special nurse and again the best
of care. After two months new ail-
ments, stomach trouble, showed up
and rushed back to the hospital again,
another minute examination showed
severe kidney trouble. That spelled
the closing chapter of her life.

It was now out a matter of days.
Life was ebbing fast, but she was
composed and ready, never complain-
ing, never growing bitter, and the
pastoral ministrations kept her faith
bright and fortified. She was ready
to meet her Saviour at His own
hour. On Saturday, September the
19th, a little before 4 o'clock P. M.
her life of long and heroic suffering
came to a peaceful close. She at-
tained the age of 66 years, 6 months
and 4 days.

Those mourning her demise are
her husband, Mr. John Balzen, her
four children, Mary Augusta (Mrs.
Lee Davis), Emma Bernadine (Mrs.
Robt. T. Morris) of San Antonio,
Elisabeth Francis (the wife of
Major Webb Lee) at present at
Washington, D. C., and Minnie Marie
(Mrs. Wm. Schuehle) of Upper
Quilhi; and four grandchildren, Jerry
Schuehle, Dwight Taylor Schuehle,
Bettie Lee Morris and Webb Lee, Jr.;
also the children of Mr. Balzen's
former marriage, Mrs. Albert Eck-
hart, Bandera, Edgar of Upper Quilhi,
Robert H. of San Antonio, Mrs. Os-
car Moehring, Hondo, and Alvin Bal-
zen, Upper Quilhi. May the Lord
comfort their hearts in this sad hour.

Full-bearers were Arnold Balzen,
George Balzen, Walter Balzen, Chas.
Balzen, Ben De Joirno and Oscar
Saathoff.

The funeral service was held at
the Hogger Funeral Home, Hondo,
on Sunday, September the 20th, at
4 P. M. with interment at the Wood-
men's Cemetery at Hondo.

Blessed are those that die in the
Lord.

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Get
The habit
Of buying by
The ads in this paper.
You'll find it both convenient
And to your profit in the long run.

A. L. Sharpe, a former business
man in Hondo but now residing at
116 Princess Pass, San Antonio, was
a business visitor to Hondo Saturday.

Dr. Walter B. Meyer, who is an
interne at Robert E. Green Hospital
in San Antonio, spent Tuesday night
with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. J.
Meyer.

We have frequent inquiries from
people seeking farms, ranches or
homes in town for rent or lease.
Moral, advertise your rental property
in the Anvil Herald. tf

We have a borrower for \$1,700
willing to give 300 per cent town
property security. If you have the
amount to lend inquire for borrower
at Anvil Herald office. 4t.

Miss Eddie Connor of Hondo won
the first \$50 bank account at the
Colonial Theatre Tuesday night. Next
week the amount will total \$170, to
be awarded in four accounts.

Mrs. Sadie Hutzler left last week-
end for Florida and Washington, af-
ter a visit with relatives here. She
plans to spend the winter with her
son, Albert J. Hutzler, in Washing-
ton.

Ralph Noonan, son of County
Judge and Mrs. R. J. Noonan, left
last week for Kerrville where he re-
entered Schriener Institute. He will
be a freshman in the college depart-
ment.

Found, in a car Wednesday of
last week, the diez y seis celebration,
a lady's garment. Loser can recover
same by calling at this office, identi-
fying property and paying for this
notice. ltc.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Honegger of
Houston were visiting relatives and
friends here and at Sabin last
week, and before returning home
dropped in at this office to have the
old hometown paper sent to them.

Rev. T. A. Flynn attended the
consolation ceremonies for Most
Rev. M. S. Garriga, coadjutor bishop
of Corpus Christi, at San Fernando
Cathedral in San Antonio Monday.
The newly created bishop is the first
native Texan to be so honored. Father
Flynn returned Tuesday.

Among those from here at the Rice
Institute and A. and I. College foot-
ball game in Corpus Christi Satur-
day were Miss Wilma Spratt, and
Messrs. Clifford Sadler and Bill Du-
Bose. Mr. C. M. "Dutch" Flory of
Harlingen, former coach here, was
also among the football fans present.

Mrs. K. B. Schilling and daughter,
Shirley, left last Wednesday after an
extended visit with Mrs. Schilling's
parents, Judge and Mrs. Ed de Mon-
tel. They were joined in Dallas by
Captain Schilling and after a visit to
the Texas Centennial Exposition they
will go on to their home in Vicks-
burg, Mississippi.

The public is cordially invited to
the benefit keno party being given
by the ladies of St. John's parish Sun-
day, Sept. 27, at 2:30 P. M. in the
school. A small admission fee will
entitle you to twenty-five games of
keno. Awards will be handsome pil-
lowcases, made and embroidered by
the skilled and artistic hands of the
ladies of the parish.

Attention is called to the announ-
cement elsewhere of the Second
Annual LaCoste Community Fair to
be held there next Sunday, Septem-
ber 27th. Elaborate arrangements
are being made for entertainment
of visitors, such as an exhibit of
Farm and Home products, Livestock
Show, Poultry Show, Barbecue Din-
ner and a grand dance at night. All
who attend can do so with the as-
surance of a good time.

Nestle method permanently waved
hair without destroying gloss and
texture of normal hair, dressed in
modern individual type after shampoo
and thoroughly dried will retain
coiffure after necessary daily care of
hair. Daily application of water to
hair is detrimental to hair texture.
Marinello face powder, lotions and
creams are sold here and used for
scientific care of face, hair and scalp.
A necessity for health. **LADIES
BEAUTY SHOPPE.**

The editors of this paper acknowl-
edge with grateful appreciation
receipt of two season passes to the
home football games of the Carrizo
Springs High School. The school
has a fine new lighted field this year,
located on the school grounds. Seat-
ing capacity 1500. All games start
at 8 o'clock. The home schedule is:
Sept. 25th, Del Rio, (Dedication of
field); Oct. 9th, Sabin, Nov. 11th,
Thomas Jefferson B. (Tentative);
Nov. 20th, Crystal City. Mr. Abe
Houston is the coach.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Schuehle,
Mrs. John Zinsmeyer, Mr. and Mrs.
Earl Starnes, Mr. and Mrs. L. A.
Mechler, Miss Irene Mechler, Miss
Mary Emma Finger, Mrs. Nora Ben-
dele and George Schuehle constituted
a motor party that went to Corpus
Christi for last Saturday's football
game between Rice Institute of
Houston and the College of Arts and
Industries of Kingsville. Two Hondo
boys, Floyd Mechler and Jackie
Schuehle, students at Rice, were in
the line-up for that institution and
each gave a good account of himself.
The party returned to Hondo Sun-
day.

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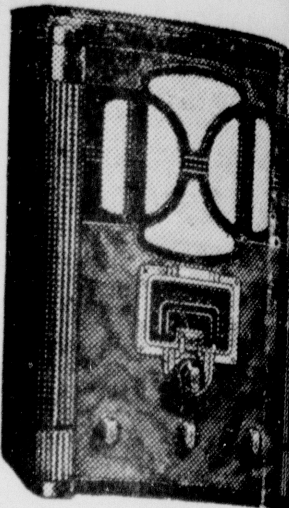
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HONDO, TEXAS

ATTEND WATER CONSER-
VATION MEETING.

Judge H. E. Haass, Judge B.
Noonan, Sheriff Chas. J. Schuehle,
Commissioner Alfred A. Jader, Com-
missioner Herman J. Bippert, Master
Lawrence Brucks and Carrier Roy
Hunter joined on Tuesday from
Medina County Tuesday in
tending the Nueces Valley Conser-
vation Convention at Uvalde.

They report a large attendance
representatives from all over the
ley. Exhaustive reports on the
of water from the drainage area
made and the engineers having
matter under investigation set
favorably impressed with the sit-
ing made.

The plan, it appears to those
tending conference, seems to be
the Federal government to const-
a series of dams along the Nue-
ces and its tributaries that will serve
double purpose of protecting
valley from floods and at the same
time conserve the water supply.

**HONDO BOY SELECTED IN-
TRY REGIMENTAL COM-
MANDER.**

Joe Haegelin, youngest son of
and Mrs. A. L. Haegelin of Hon-
do, has been appointed as lieuten-
colonel, commander of the infan-
try regiment at Texas A. and M. Col-
lege for the 1936-37 academic year.
He is one of six lieutenant com-
manders.

As a corporal during his sopho-
more year Joe was awarded a medal
"best drilled man" in his com-
pany. Last year, as a Junior, he was a
major sergeant, sergeant major of
same staff which he now heads.
Joe returned to A. and M. Col-
lege Thursday to take up his duties and
resume his studies.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

THE COLONIAL

SHOW STARTS AT 7:45 P. M.
MON.-TUES. WED.-THURS.
FRI.-SAT.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
Sept. 25th-26th.

JOE E. BROWN
JOAN BLONDELL
in—

"SONS O' GUNS"

Bullets Held No Terror for Him
He Walked Right in the
Midst of Them to Capture an
Entire Division of the Enemy
... All Because He Was So
Lovable and Dumb!

ALSO SHORT SUBJECT
RED NICHOLS ORCHESTRA

MON.-TUES. TUESDAY IS
Sept. 28-29 MONEY NIGHT
WILLIAM POWELL
JEAN ARTHUR
in—

"THE EX-MRS. BRADFORD"

The Screen's Number One So-
ciety Sleuth in a Crime Riddle
Dark with Mystery, Brilliant
With Wit, Dangerous With the
Wiles of an Ex-Wife Deter-
mined to Get Him Back.

ALSO SHORT SUBJECT
"MOLLY MOO COW"
in Technicolor

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY
Sept. 30th-Oct. 1st.

SEE THE WORLD IN THE
MAKING!

In the drama that made the
World applaud!

"THE GREEN PASTURES"

A Fable by Marc Connelly, pre-
sented by Warner Bros., with
a cast of 800.

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"BIG SHOT NOW"

TUESDAY NIGHT ONLY ONE
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THREE \$50 ACCOUNTS
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For any newspaper
Or magazine advertised
In this paper at the advertised
price.

FOR SALE, some choice regis-
tered Duroc-Jersey pigs. See HUGH
MEYER.

Miss Mary Moss had her tonsils re-
moved Wednesday, Sept. 23, at the
Medina Hospital.

DR. TAYLOR, DENTIST, OF-
FICE AT RESIDENCE (1 block E.
of courthouse). PHONE 39.

THE PLAZA BAR AND CAFE
SERVE A QUICK LUNCH AND ALL
KINDS OF COLD DRINKS.

Will pasture small herd of cattle
(only) for few months, extra good
grass, water. Apply this office, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallie Giles were
over from Ft. Clark on a visit with
her mother, Mrs. Florence Love, and
her friends.

Furnished room, for one or two
people; modern conveniences, garage.
Phone 127-3 rings or apply at Anvil
Herald office.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mitchell and
children, Jim and Alice, were over
from Uvalde Sunday. They visited
Mrs. Mae Breiten and family.

Just received new shipment Crazy
Water Crystals, Crazy Water Pow-
der, Crazy Water Fizz Tablets and
Next Shaving Cream, at FLY DRUG
CO.

It will pay you to get the habit of
reading the classified ads. Others
with something to sell find them
profitable advertising mediums. So
will you; try it.

Mrs. Monty Sutherland and little
daughter, Joel, of New York City
have gone to San Antonio and Hous-
ton after spending several weeks
here with her uncle and aunt, Mr.
and Mrs. Jacob Fohn, and family and
other relatives.

FOR SALE—Cottage on southeast
corner—120x140—3 blocks from
post office, on graveled streets. Five
rooms, hall, bath, screened sleeping
porch, electric lights, gas; garage,
barn, smokehouse, etc. A bargain if
taken at once. Phone 127-2 rings.
HONDO LAND CO.

Adolf H. Balzen left Tuesday
night by train to enter Baylor Medical
College where he is classified as a
freshman. He received his Bachel-
or of Science degree in Chemistry
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HISTORY OF SCREW WORM FLY CONTROL IN THE UNITED STATES.

Cases of screw worms in livestock
have been known in the United
States since 1843, according to Jack
Berry, district screw worm super-
visor, whose headquarters are at
Pearsall, Texas. Authentic cases with
positively identified specimens date
back to 1882. The screw worm fly
inhabits the southern United States,
Mexico, Central America, the West
Indies and South America including
Uruguay and Argentina.

The pioneer cattle raisers of Texas
recognized the screw worm as a
serious pest of livestock, and there
are many references made by the
early entomologists and veterinari-
ans to it in literature. One of the
first materials recommended for
treating cases was calomel, which
was placed directly in the wound.
Later, the use of chloroform and car-
bolic ointments was adopted. None of
these substances is now recommend-
ed.

The U. S. Department of Agricul-
ture, Bureau of Entomology and
Plant Quarantine, recommends the
present methods of treatment and
control as the result of research
work conducted by Dr. F. C. Bishop,
Entomologist, and his associates of
the Division of Insects Affecting
Man and Animals. Other important
contributions have been made by en-
tomologists and veterinarians of vari-
ous state agencies.

In 1916, Mr. D. C. Parman, Entom-
ologist of the U. S. Department of
Agriculture, Uvalde, Texas, began
studies of benzol, the present accept-
ed material for screw worm case
treatment. At the same time he and
his associates developed the use of
pine tar oil as a wound dressing and
fly repellent.

In 1933 a contribution of great
importance was made by Emory C.
Cushing, Entomologist, of the U. S.
Department of Agriculture, when he
discovered that there were two
species of screw worms that had pre-
viously been confused as one species.
The two flies, although almost iden-
tical in appearance, are entirely dif-
ferent in habits. One designated as
the true screw worm infests only the
wounds of living animals. The second
species, called the secondary invad-
er, breeds in carcasses and decaying
flesh. This discovery placed empha-
sis upon controlling infested wounds
in living animals, thereby reducing
the population of true screw worm
flies, and upon preventing wounds in
domestic animals and livestock.

From time to time outbreaks of
screw worms have occurred outside
the territory normally infested by the
fly—in Louisiana, Mississippi, Ten-
nessee, Kansas and other states. In
1935 a serious infestation occurred
in Georgia, Florida and other south-
eastern states. The forces of the
Bureau of Entomology and Plant
Quarantine were immediately cen-
tered in that section and an exten-
sive control campaign was begun.
This control campaign was success-
ful and the losses from screw worms
in that area were greatly reduced.

At the present time the U. S. De-
partment of Agriculture personnel
working on the control of screw
worms is directed from San Antonio,
Texas. The problem is being ap-
proached through the use of proper
animal husbandry practices and prop-
er materials for treating cases. You
can assist in this campaign by giving
records of screw worm cases in your
livestock to your local county agent

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"Sons O' Guns", Joe E. Brown's
latest Warner Bros. comedy frolic,
based on the hilarious Broadway
musical hit, opens at the Colonial
Theatre tonight. The story is a rollick-
ing comedy comedy romance
dealing with the humorous side of
doughboy life in France during the
World War. Between his distaste for
army discipline and enemy shells on
the one hand and his timorous adven-
tures with three jealous and aggres-
sive sweethearts on the other, Joe
finds that life is just one horrible
nightmare after another. Joan Blon-
dell, Winifred Shaw and Beverly
Roberts are the war-time sweethearts.
Murder mystery proves a romance-
wrecker and cupid combined in Wil-
liam Powell's and Jean Arthur's new
co-starring picture, "The Ex-Mrs.
Bradford", which shows Monday and
Tuesday. Miss Arthur appears as an
ex-wife of Powell, a detective tale
author who gave him the jitters all
through marriage by looking at life
as a continuous mystery thriller. But
it's murder-and-mystery that breaks
down Powell's determination never
to ruin his nerves by yielding to her
charm again.

"The Green Pastures", picturiza-
tion by Warner Bros. from Marc
Connelly's Pulitzer Prize Play, comes
to the Colonial Wednesday and
Thursday. The story represents the
primitive conception of the Bible and
its characters, and is filled with de-
lightful humor, although presented
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CONTRACT CLUB.

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ternoon when she entertained the
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Johnson, A. H. Schweers, L. J.
Brucks, and Roy Pfeil, and Miss Lil-
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NO MORE HOT TRAINS FOR THE WEST.

Chicago.—The long, hot reaches
of the Western desert country no
longer brings perspiration to the
traveler's brow. The railroads have
solved the problem of summer trav-
el in the desert country—air-condi-
tioning.

This year air-conditioning will be
one of the primary factors in an in-
crease in Western vacation travel.
These statements were made here
today by Harry G. Taylor, Chairman
of the Western Association of Rail-
way Executives.

In making his statement, Mr. Tay-
lor pointed out that the Western
Railroads have \$27,000,000 invested
in air-conditioning equipment of all
classes. He said: "We have a tremen-
dous investment in air-condition-
ing cars, but we feel that our invest-
ment will justify itself in increased
travel."

Mr. Taylor's report showed an in-
crease of nearly 50 per cent in the
number of air-conditioned cars now
in service. For 1935 the railroads
and the Pullman Company operated
2,500 cars, representing an invest-
ment of \$19,000,000 on the Western
Railroads. At the present time there
are 3,669 cars of all classes being
operated as air-conditioned units in
the western territory. The increase
means, according to Mr. Taylor, that
the "hot train" has virtually been
eliminated from first class travel. He
said: "Travelers no longer need fear
the excessive heat of a cross-country
train ride. The air-conditioned cars
make the trip with less than a two
per cent variation in cool tempera-
ture. And more, hay fever and asth-
ma sufferers can be assured a safe
haven on the sealed, air-conditioned
cars, for the pollen of the golden-
rod, the rag weed and the rose are
all taken out of the air that is filter-
ed and purified before being released
in the cars."

Mr. Taylor also pointed out that
the Western Railroads were proving
the workability of air-conditioning on
a large scale. He added: "The pro-
gress made by the railroads in air-
conditioning has founded a new in-
dustry, and the work provided by the
tremendous sale of air-conditioned
equipment has given the industry the
necessary life blood of business to
keep it going."

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compartment on my train
were arguing about why
railroad business is pick-
ing up.

A factory owner said it
was because of this new Free
pick-up-and-delivery of less
than carload freight. This is
door-to-door service with no
extra charge added to the
freight bill.

A traveling salesman said it
was because so many passen-
ger and freight trains now run
on faster schedules.

There was a school prin-
cipal in the group and he
said it was because train
travel is so much cheaper
for passengers. He said
passenger fares are at the
lowest point in history,
with substantial reductions
if you buy a round-trip
ticket—and no more sur-
charge for riding in sleep-
ing cars.

One man, a farmer, said he
liked something he could de-
pend on, that's why he was
traveling by train.

Another man, a newspaper re-
porter, said people were in
favor of railroad travel be-
cause it is by far the safest. He
quoted a lot of statistics from a
book called, "Live and Let Live."

A banker we all know by
name said railroad tax pay-
ments mean a lot in this state.

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ments, appreciate the public's
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age, and pledge continued pro-
gress.

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business. We enjoyed his visits for
the cheer they brought.

Last week we had a card from him
saying that he would be here Mon-
day of this week on his regular trip.
Instead we received the following:
San Antonio, Texas, 10522 A. M.

Erich Davis, Hondo, Texas,
has deep sorrow advise death Erich
Lengfeld, funeral Kyle today.
San Antonio Paper Co.

Erich Lengfeld, 59, a resident of
San Antonio, Texas, died in a New Braun-
fels hospital Saturday night and fu-
neral services were held Monday at
10 A. M. at the First German Baptist
Church at Kyle, with burial in the
Oak Cemetery near Uhlard.
He was a native of Germany and
came to America when 15, having
the greater part of his life. At the
time of his death, he was a salesman
for the San Antonio Paper Co., which
position he held for the past 19 years.
He is survived by his widow Mrs.
Lengfeld of Kyle; four sons,
John, Carl, Curt and Ft. Sam-
Houston, Hans and Harry of Kyle;
three daughters, Misses Evelyn and
Ann of Kyle; three brothers,
Edward of Germany, Ed. of Chicago
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Sales of new passenger car regis-
trations during April were still sub-
stantially above 1935, but declined
in comparison with the preceding
month, according to the University
of Texas Bureau of Business Re-
search. Reports from fifteen repre-
sentative Texas counties give a
total of 6,330 new passenger car
registrations, 18.1 per cent below
those of March but 15 per cent above
those of April last year. For the
first quarter aggregate sales were
up 15 per cent from the correspond-
ing period last year. The tendency
which has been noted for many
months of the greatest sales increase
to occur in the higher price groups
was again in evidence during April.

The native shrub, seneca, is a won-
der. It has the habit of putting on
beautiful pink blooms after every
rain. The shrub covers the rocky
hills hereabouts and is not bad to
look at when it has no blooms, but
when the rains come that bring the
flowers, it's a beautiful sight. This
plant has been much sought for high-
way beautification and last season
thousands upon thousands were
trucked further north. Many went
into yards and locally many hundred
were transplanted to assist in the
beautification of premises. Properly
trimmed it makes a splendid hedge.
It can be watered daily and the
plant will grow and grow, but will
not bloom until rain falls. Just what
element the raindrops carry that
brings forth the blossoms, we cannot
explain. Who can?—Cotulla Record.

or to the district screw worm super-
visor, who will be glad to give you
any information you desire concern-
ing screw worm control.

The U. S. Department of Agricul-
ture recommends benzol to kill
screw worms in wounds, after which
the wound should be coated with
pine tar oil, specific gravity 1.065,
to hasten healing of the wound and
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High School News

USED BY COURTESY THE OWL.

OWLS TRAMPLE ROCKSPRINGS BULLDOGS 33-0.

The Owls swept through the game Friday defeating the Rock-springs Bulldogs by a score of 33-0. The Owls showed signs of great power, not only carrying the ball, but blocking as well.

The Owls got off to an early start then after receiving the ball they carried it right down the field for a touchdown. A kick from placement was good for the extra point.

Early in the second quarter the Owls again pushed the ball over the Bulldog's goal line. This time a kick from placement was wide. Although most of the remainder of the game was played in Rockspring's territory, the Owls failed to make another touchdown. The first half ended with the score, Owls 13, Bulldogs 0.

In the early part of the third quarter Captain J. H. Rothe gave the fans a thrill when he returned the ball nearly sixty yards for a touchdown. He could not, however, have made this excellent run had it not been for the perfect interference on the part of his team mates. A kick from placement was again good for the extra point.

Again in the closing minutes of this quarter the Owls made a touch-down, by marching down the field from the fifty-yard stripe where Anthony Jungman, an alert lineman, recovered the ball when Rocksprings fumbled it. The kick from placement was wide thus making the score at the end of the third quarter: Hondo 26, Rocksprings 0.

The Owls made their final counter about the middle of the fourth quarter when Huesser intercepted a pass on the Hondo twenty-yard line and galloped eighty yards for a touch-down, completely outrunning the members of both teams. This time a line plunge was good for the extra point. The game ended without any more scoring, the final score being Hondo Owls 33, Rocksprings Bulldogs 0.

The entire team played a "bang-up" game and Hondo High School should be proud of them and also of their excellent coach, Mr. DuBose.

Results of other games played in this section of the state last week are as follows:

Pearsall 14
Lytle 6
Alamo Heights 27
Georgetown 6
Charlotte 6
Devine 0
Sabal 12
Cotulla 7

The Owls next game will be Friday when they meet the Pearsall Mavericks in Pearsall. As many students as possible should try to attend this game and help the Owls win another victory. School will turn out early Friday afternoon to give students sufficient time to reach Pearsall before the game starts.

OWLS—JAKE SCHUEBLE MAY BE RICE QUARTERBACK.

(This article was written by Clark Nealon and appeared in a Houston newspaper the past week.)

An 18-year-old sophomore, Charles John (Jake) Schuehle, is a pretty big figure in Rice Institute football plans right now.

This Mr. Schuehle, hard-blocking, confident youngster from Hondo, will do a lot of the Owl signal calling this season, the first time a sophomore has served as field general for Rice in several years. He'll probably divide time with Frank Cogdell, more experienced quarterback, who is the likely starter.

But through this year and on into the next two seasons of his eligibility, Schuehle will be groomed to fill the immense shoes of John McCauley, the greatest of Rice field generals, who has finished his college playing days. It will take Kitts and Rice a long time to forget "Big Jawn's" quarterbacking. But maybe Schuehle will help.

The Hondo boy, son of Sheriff C. J. Schuehle of that city, has impressed the Owl head man with his fine blocking. The Rice system calls for a blocking quarterback. The generalship and added poise will come with experience, and Schuehle will get plenty of that. Kitts spent a lot of time advising the soph on choice of plays Wednesday in the scrimmage.

Another of these boys you didn't hear much about in high school, Schuehle nevertheless was well known in his school's region. He was all-regional quarterback at Hondo

High one year and all-district signal caller another season. He lettered two other years as a halfback. And football was just one of his sports. He made three letters in baseball, two in basketball and two in track, totaling 11 for his stay in high school. He came to Rice direct from high school, and played halfback on the 1935 Slime eleven.

He's modest but confident, and he's smart.

And he never has busted a course in his life.

(Floyd Mechler, another Hondo High School graduate who is now an important backfield man at Rice Institute has also been receiving good write-ups and will soon be an important member of the team.)

OWLS—H. H. S. GRADUATE WINS SWIMMING MEDALS.

Johnny Crouch, a graduate of Hondo High School, was awarded the swimming trophy at the University of Texas for being the best waterman of 1936. He entered the Gulf A. A. U. Meet at Houston, carrying off the individual honors by setting one new record and tying another which gave him the honor of being the only swimmer to cop two first places. His time here was 57.4 seconds for the 100 yards and 27 seconds flat for 50 yards.

He next entered the Texas open A. A. U. Meet at Fort Worth as a member of the Texas University swimming team which won second place in the entire meet. Johnny entered five races in Fort Worth and won all five first places, breaking two of his previous records. The 100 yards was made in 57.2 seconds and the 50 in 25.3 seconds.

On Labor Day he went to Austin to the State Meet where he entered only two races. However, he won both first places and again clipped a few seconds off his Fort Worth record, his time being 55.4 seconds for the 100-yd. race and 24.4 seconds for the 50.

OWLS—HONDO F. F. A. TO INITIATE D'HANIS AND SABINAL F. F. A. OFFICERS.

The Hondo Future Farmers of America will meet Wednesday night at 7:30.

The officers of the new Future Farmer organizations at D'Hanis and Sabinal will be initiated and raised to the Green Hand degree. The purpose of the initiation is so that the officers in turn can raise their members to the Green Hand degree.

The Hondo Future Farmers have for the last two weeks selected their projects and are working hard with them. Some have selected calves, others hogs, sheep, etc. In the next issue of THE OWL there will be a report of all the projects. The officers of the Hondo Chapter of Future Farmers are as follows:

President: John Mumme.
Vice-President: Bonnard Rothe.
Secretary: John Zerr.
Treasurer: Marvin Grell.
Reporter: Murrel Stiegler.
Parliamentarian: Jack Speece.
Historian: J. H. Rothe.
Watch Dog: Fred Bader.
Adviser: Mr. Sadler.

OWLS—DISCIPLINE.

Many people think of discipline as something imposed upon them by others. In its formal application that is, to a degree, true. But what we rarely realize is that true discipline does not spring from the desire of the powerful to enforce laws upon others or to bend them to their own wills. Many laws or rules are created as principles for self-guidance by those who have much knowledge of human beings.

The education of students requires special attention to the problem of discipline. Everything one does can be called "obeying rules". Everyone must have someone to obey—one to whom they look for guidance. Without laws people would be just as bewildered as a child who is told to do just as he pleases.

In thinking of discipline, we must remember one last factor. Freedom ends, someone has written, at the point where it begins to encroach upon another person. This is true, but it is not true enough. I should say to all who seek a meaningful and active life that your freedom ends when it begins to harm YOU. Thus the question of discipline becomes primarily a matter of the observance of rules for the guidance of one's own life. As such, it assumes its highest form, and becomes self-discipline.

OWLS—THIRD GRADE.

The third grade is very interested in the notebooks we are starting. We are working on a geography book and a poem book.

We are trying to get our library straightened out so that we can read more books.

KEEPING A SECRET.

How many times have we been told something and were strictly forbidden to spread the secret? Did we obey the command? Maybe one time out of ten we kept the secret, but the other nine times we let the words go to listening ears. After a word is once said, it cannot be withdrawn; the strongest of men cannot kill it.

There is a burdensome feeling within us just as soon as we are told something that is not to be spread. We begin to think about what was told us. There is some good friend of ours, and we feel that this friend shares everything in common with us. We are confident that there is no danger in telling him, and finally our conscience allows us to tell the words.

But my! the feeling that comes to us then. We begin to think after we have spoken. However, we comfort ourselves, feeling there is no danger; for someone else has taken a risk by telling us. So why can't we take the same risk?

The fault of most people is that they do not think ahead, but jump right into fire with the rest. Where do words wander? Finally everyone in the neighborhood knows the secret and more. Words multiply like bacteria. They fly through the air as kites, but cannot be so easily withdrawn. The best thing to do is not to let them wander.

People do not think; they see too little; and talk too much. Think before you speak; observe more; think words rather than say words, and there will not be wounds in our hearts that come from some little misunderstanding growing out of some little advertised words.

Moral: A wise old owl lived in an oak.

The more he saw the less he spoke
The less he spoke, the more he heard,
Why can't we be like that wise old bird?

OWLS—PATTER.

The hardest tumble a man can take is to fall over his own bluff.

"Positive" means being mistaken at the top of one's voice.—Ambrose Bierce.

Argument with a woman is a case of "He came. He saw. He concurred"—Gustavian Annual.

The night clubs have discovered the relationship between gauze and effect.

Some college girls pursue learning, while others learn pursuing.—College Life.

It's better to give than to lend, and it costs about the same.—Philips Gibbs.

We are all inclined to judge ourselves by our ideals; others by their acts.—Harold Nicholson, quoted in John o'London's Weekly.

If you have built castles in the air you work need not be lost; that is where they should be. Now put foundation under them.—Thoreau in his NOTEBOOKS.

Help Hondo beat the Pearsall Mavericks.

OWLS—FIRST GRADE.

What fun, what fun! We all went to see Elmo Joe's squirrel.

The squirrel is in a cage. We gave the squirrel a pecan. The little squirrel buried the pecan and patted sand over the hole.

He ate another pecan. He held it in his front paws while he ate it. Then the squirrel ran and jumped. He got into his merry-go-round. He went 'round and 'round. We came back to school. We made a story about the squirrel. We drew pictures of the squirrel.

We have a new cabinet in our room. There is a separate shelf for each of us. Now we can lock our things in the cabinet. We will no lose our colors, paste and scissors any more.

We have named our gold fish Goldy. Florene brought us another gold fish. We can't think of another good name so will call him Big Goldy.

OWLS—SIXTH GRADE.

We have a very large class this year. There are thirty-one. We have several new ones who are Robert Posey, Lindabel Saathoff, Fred Inman, Mary Sue Walters, and Bruce Gray.

We are trying to make our room as neat as possible. Glenrose seems to be the flower girl because she brings nearly all the flowers we get. We are making some green scarfs to put over the book cases.

Monday is moving day. Miss Hodges moved several of the pupils to different places.

Some of us went visiting this week-end. Tillie went to Riomedina, Douglas went to San Antonio, and Robert went to Bandera.

OWLS—WE DO ALL KINDS OF JOB PRINTING.

HITHER AND THITHER.

Wanda and Juanita Dawson visited in San Antonio Sunday.

Miss Claypool, former Commercial teacher here, visited in Hondo Saturday and Sunday.

Ginger F. and Charles Tondre were in San Antonio Sunday.

Jo Reilly visited in Sabinal Sunday. Dorothy Mae Moore and Georgia Mae Muennink spent Saturday in LaCoste.

Earline Batot visited in D'Hanis Sunday.

Irma Moore was in San Antonio Friday.

Mary B. Embrey spent the week-end in Lockhart.

OWLS—FOURTH GRADE.

The fourth grade has started a scrapbook. We plan to keep the clippings from THE OWL concerning our grade.

Each Monday various duties are assigned for the week. We have two librarians, also one to keep the erasers in order, one to wash the boards, one to take care of our shades and curtains and various other duties.

We are quite proud of our new curtains. They make our room look much brighter.

We have a new pupil who entered our grade today. He is Kenneth English from the Charles Groebner School in San Antonio.

OWLS—SEVENTH GRADE.

The Seventh Grade was very happy to have a new pupil, Joe English. We hope he will like it here as well as San Antonio's schools.

Mary Jane and Martha Ferrell were visitors in Bandera during the week-end.

Jonelle Gaines enjoyed the cool waters of Masonic Springs, Sunday.

Meyer Morris was a visitor in Sabinal Saturday.

OWLS—GOOD ADVICE.

Small Boy: "Dad, give me a nickel."

Dad: "Why, son, you're too old to be begging for nickels."

Small Boy: "I guess you're right dad; make it a dime."—Whitewright Sun.

OWLS—SECOND GRADE.

The second grade was happy to win the picture this month.

Arle Gene Brucks was sick last week.

HONEYMOON MOUNTAIN

by FRANCES SHELLEY WEEES



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THE ANVIL HERALD.

PEP SQUAD ORGANIZED.

Hooray folks, the yell leaders have been elected, and are they good ones! The four nominees for the place were Martin Noonan, Jo Reilly, Billy Merritt, and Murrel Stiegler. The two elected by the High School student body by a great majority were JO REILLY and MURRELL STIEGLER. Everyone was sure the choice was good after seeing Jo and Murrell lead the yells Friday. They showed us that they have the good of the Pep Squad at heart, and are really trying to make it a bigger and better one, but it isn't hard to guess what our Squad will look like and what it will sound like if everyone doesn't give their cooperation to the leaders. After all, we go to the games to watch our boys play and give them our support, not to have private parties in the bleachers.

OWLS—WILLIAM HERF GIBSON.

Mr. William Herf Gibson was born in San Antonio, Texas. He lived there fifteen years and then, with his family, moved to Prairie Lee, Texas. After finishing High School he attended the University of Texas, where he received his Bachelor of Business Arts degree.

Mr. Gibson's favorite sport is baseball, and his favorite movie star is the same as yours and mine—Robert Taylor.

This is his first year of teaching, we feel fortunate in having him with us. The subjects taught by Mr. Gibson in Hondo High School are Junior Business, Advanced Arithmetic, and Typing.

TOWARD A MORE PICTURESQUE SPEECH.

How else would you say it?

They've got no more future than a cake of ice. (Song and Dance Man)

A smile as contagious as a yawn. (R. H. Macdonald)

As honest as a dog fight. (R. P. Cunningham)

She was a menace to normal breathing. (David Garth)

Their dancing was exquisite, a filagree of movement. (Erna Ferguson)

She felt in italics and thought in capitals. (Henry James)

Hair which he wore a month too long. (Henry Sydnor Harrison)

The wrinkled half of my life. (Thomas Hardy)

She not only expects the worst, but makes the worst of it when it happens. (Michael Arlen)

"Has the train to Boston left?" "No sir, but she's twitchin'." (Grand Central redcap)

"The papers are all inked up about that murder." (Night watchman)

The cat cameled her back. (H. W. Ranks)

Mosquitoes were using my ankles for filling stations. (Captain Frederick Moore)

The highway was plastered across the face of nature like a strip of white surgeon's tape... Sleet wrapped the land in cellophane. (Walter B. Pitkin)

The sky had been washed with rain and scrubbed with the wind until it shone. (Anne Parrish)

The bells and clocks of the town were discussing midnight. (Kate O'Brien)

OWLS—To trust others is to expose one's self, but this courage touches generous hearts.—Amiel.



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LACOSTE LEDGERETTES.

From The LaCoste Ledger.

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY CELE-
BRATED ON MONDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles

celebrated their golden wedding an-

niversary on Monday with an all-day

celebration at the Christilles home in

LaCoste. Beginning at 8 o'clock a

mass was offered by their pastor,

Rev. Joseph Schweller, of St. Mary's

Church, attended by members of the

immediate family and friends.

George Christilles and Mary Marty

were united in marriage at St. Louis

Church in Castroville, September 14,

1886, and have lived in Medina Coun-

ty ever since. At the anniversary

celebration here Monday three of the

grandchildren at the wedding fifty years

ago were present. These were Mrs.

Lucie Christilles Schmidt, Mrs. Em-

ma Marty Gutzeit, and Louis Naeg-

el. Others who attended the wed-

ding were also present for the anni-

versary celebration.

A dinner prepared by the wives of

their only sons, Paul and Daniel

Christilles, and foster daughters,

Mrs. W. F. Biediger, and Miss Marie

Christilles, was served to more than

40 guests, from a table richly decor-

ated in yellow chrysanthemums with

as fern as a centerpiece. Tall ta-

bles were at each end of the long

table.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and

Mrs. Louis Gutzeit, Mr. and Mrs.

W. Mecher, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund

Naegle, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Chris-

tian, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zimmer-

man and children, Mrs. C. L. Marty

and August Naegle from San An-

tonio, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt and

granddaughter, Anna Marie Ehling-

er, from Devine; Mr. and Mrs. Se-

bastian Marty, Mrs. Josephine Naeg-

el, Mrs. Charles Suckas and Louis

Naegle from Castroville. Members

of the immediate family, together

with the six grandchildren and a few

friends made up the happy party.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mecher and

children from LaCoste spent Sunday

at the R. J. Wanjura home.

Vincent Huegel spent several days

at the ranch home of his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. O. W. Huegel, below Me-

dia Lake, but returned in time to be

present for the school opening at

St. Vincent is a senior and also a

member of the band.

F. C. Stinson and son from Riome-

dia were LaCoste visitors Wednes-

day.

Miss Myrtle Bohl spent Sunday

with Mrs. Evelyn Keller.

Miss Clara and Julia Scherrer of

San Antonio spent Sunday with their

parents at the Sauz.

Mrs. Nick Tondre and son, Marlin,

from near Atascosa were LaCoste

visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Talanco from

Medio were short visitors here

Friday.

Mrs. Helena Keller and Mrs. F. J.

Keller and son were Castroville visi-

Thursday. Miss Thelma remained in

the city where she has accepted a po-

sition in a confectionery.

Those from here representing the

St. Ann's and St. George Societies

and Young Ladies Sodality at the

Catholic State League Convention in

San Antonio the past week-end were

Mrs. Wm. R. Keller, Mrs. Geo.

Echtle, Mrs. Henry Franger and Mrs.

Margaret Keller; Messrs. Geo. Echtle,

Henry Franger and Jos. Hutzler, and

Misses Marie Lessing and Faustina

Christilles.

Culled From Castroville Dept.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mecher and

two babies of Hondo were visiting

relatives here Sunday.

Gervase Tondre, son of Mrs. Clara

Tondre, entered St. John's Seminary

in San Antonio the past week.

Alois Rihn left Monday for San

Antonio where he entered Draugh-

on's Business College for a course in

business training.

Mr. and Mrs. Clemens Kempf and

baby were visitors at Dilley Sunday.

They were accompanied home by Mr.

and Mrs. John Collins and children

who will visit with friends and re-

latives here for some time.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs.

Ross Snider was christened at St.

Gerard's Church in San Antonio

Sunday. The names given the young

man were Donald Gerald. Sponsors

were Miss Inez Koch and Gerald

Boehme.

DEVINE NEWSLETS.

From The Devine News.

INA OIL FIELD LOCATED 12

MILES N. W. DEVINE.

A subscriber in Kansas, who owns

land near Devine, writes asking us

to state where the Ina Oil Co.'s hold-

ings are. The refinery is about mid-

way between Devine and Hondo City

on the Hondo river. There is a road

and telephone line erected by the

owners of the field, from Devine to

the field. The big gas field lies back

this way, nearer to Devine.

COMMISSIONERS COURT MEETS

HIGHWAY MEN.

The commissioners of Medina

County were to hold a meeting with

Highway Commissioner Martin and

others, in San Antonio Tuesday night

to see if work may not start soon on

No. 173, Hondo to Jourdan, via

Devine. We have not heard from

the meeting.

LATER: Mr. Roberson is back

from the conference with Mr. Martin

and others, and says he has instruc-

tions to proceed at once getting

right-of-way, but not fencing. That

the Federal Government will prob-

ably take over 173, furnishing 55 per

cent of the funds needed to build and

will build a better highway than the

state had planned.

FROM BIRY.

Mrs. J. F. Biry and family visited

relatives in Castroville Sunday.

Several from here attended the

fair at Pearsall last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biry, Mrs.

Alice Littleton and Miss Vick Love

were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

They were accompanied home by

Miss Lucille Littleton who spent last

week with Miss Dorothy Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tschirhart of

LaCoste were guests of Mr. and Mrs.

F. J. Biry last Thursday.

Mrs. Ed Bader and daughters were

in Devine Sunday morning.

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Medina.

By virtue of an execution issued

out of the District Court of Bexar

County, 57th Judicial District of

Texas, on a judgment rendered in

said court on the 29th day of June,

A. D. 1936, in favor of H. F. Schur-

mann and against Thos. W. Master-

son and Robert Thompson, jointly

and severally, in the case styled H.

F. Schurmann vs. Thos. W. Master-

son, et al, numbered B-82082 on the

docket of said court, I did on the

25th day of August A. D., 1936, at

10 o'clock A. M., levy upon the fol-

lowing described tracts and parcels

of land situated in the county of Me-

dia, State of Texas, as the prop-

erty of said Thos. W. Masterston and

Robert Thompson, to-wit:

Situated in Medina County, Texas,

to-wit:

ALL That certain tract or parcel

of land out of survey No. 20, patent-

ed to David Harvey, being part of a

tract of 6.75 acres of land known as

"Bee Bluff" on the west side of,

fronting on, and adjoining Medina

Lake, more particularly described as

follows:

BEGINNING at a stake at the S.

W. corner of the W. E. Milligan tract

of 6.75 acres; Thence N. 87 degrees

34' E. 94.6 feet; Thence S. 84 de-

grees 08' E. 98.7 feet; Thence S. 49

degrees E. 59.6 feet; Thence S. 29

degrees 30' W. 85 feet; Thence S.

40 degrees 59' W. 70 feet; Thence

S. 7 degrees 08' E. 78.2 feet; Thence

S. 44 degrees 18' E. 100 feet;

Thence S. 60 degrees 42' E. 50.7

feet; Thence S. 83 degrees 33' E.

100 feet; Thence N. 88 degrees 56'

E. 100 feet; Thence N. 81 degrees

E. 100 feet to a point on the corner

of Bee Bluff; said point being N.

1213.4 feet and E. 4098.7 feet from

the S. W. corner of the D. Harvey

Survey and from which a live oak 8"

in diameter bears 0 degrees 7' E.

from the S. E. corner of this tract;

Thence along W. side of Medina

Lake N. 17 degrees 10' W. 158.4

feet; Thence N. 45 degrees 51' W.

95.5 feet; Thence N. 24 degrees 40'

W. 252.1 feet to a point; Thence on

a straight line to point of beginning,

containing 2.85 acres of land, more

or less, being part of a tract of 6.75

acres conveyed to W. E. Milligan by

Frank P. Seekatz and wife, Ida See-

katz on January 3, 1918; Save and

except, however, from said tract of

land a tract of about one-half acre

conveyed by W. E. Milligan and Mrs.

Chittim;

BEING the same land described in

a certain deed of trust now of record

in the office of the county clerk of

Medina County, Texas, in book 20,

pages 427-430 of the deed of trust

records of said Medina County, Tex-

as, to which record reference is here

made.

And on the 6th day of October A.

D. 1936, being the first Tuesday of

said month, between the hours of

D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1936

Mrs. August Albrecht, who had been in San Antonio visiting relatives, returned home Sunday, accompanied by her grandson, David Albrecht. She is much improved from an injury sustained from a fall while in the city.

Miss Frances Richter and brother, Felix, of Hondo, visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richter and children Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wall of San Antonio spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Zerr.

Messrs. A. H. Rothe and O. W. Tendre went to Medina Lake Sunday, where they attended a meeting of the San Antonio Junior Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of discussing an improved road from that city to the Lake. They were also among the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Loring at a chicken barbecue served at their lodge.

Mr. Clemens Finger and Misses Verene and Stella Finger returned Monday from a trip to Dallas and Fort Worth. They were accompanied by their brother, Joe Finger, of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ney of Corpus Christi spent the week-end here. His mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ney, returned to the coast city with them.

OFF-HAND OBSERVATIONS.

The time seems to have about come to the younger generation to choose between asphyxiation of the old folks and granting them a pension.

Under the economic system prevailing since the Civil War, comparatively few out-of-date people have been able to reach that stage with enough of this world's goods to keep them reasonably comfortable in their declining years.

Even if the old timer has a job and regardless of his ability to carry on, with an army of unemployed younger people clamoring for jobs, what show has the "back number" to hold on to it?

Meantime, the bureaucratic system which has come to rule this country with a bar of gold, with the shibboleth of "anything to win" regardless, has not quite reached the stage of applying lethal gas to the old folks who have lived too long. The said bureaucratic bunch regardless of party, in nation and state, in a hesitating way approach the alternative of granting the old people a pension.

And while Dr. Townsend, with his \$200 per month proposition, in my opinion, goes a bit too far in the direction of taking care of the old people, I leave it to you all, if the political job-holders on the inside and ditto on the outside, in this matter of meagerness, are not strongly headed in the direction of the other extreme.

For instance, the Texas Legislature when under pressure of public opinion, reluctantly essayed to put the aged people "on relief", got \$185 per month under Dr. Townsend, under pressure of big business bolshevism, dreading, not the cost, but a little much-needed inflation,—well you see what was done to the Legislature's \$15 a month.

Dr. Townsend, by the way, is among the too few who realize that what the nation needs most in its emergency, is inflation, (more money in circulation) that is about two-thirds of what he aims at in his contention for more pension than millions of half-starved, half-naked recipients would know how to spend.

But, via the vet bonus and the old age pension, we are getting some inflation, coming in spite of the ultra-conservative element in both old parties that see in it an end to government bond issues, high interest and high taxes.

Already, as result of the much needed inflation, even the big daily newspapers are beginning to note and publish its effect on "recovery". It will not be long, moreover, till those favoring the deflationary party in power will be claiming credit for the "RECOVERY" boom that INFLATION has started, and that DEFLATION has been holding back.

Salmon, Texas. P. S. I hope the people of Texas who feel free to vote as they please will not forget that Roy Sanderford, candidate for governor of Texas, has steadfastly stood not only on the old age pension, but for the wherewith to pay it IN FULL.

HIGH TEMPERATURES KNOCK EGG PRODUCTION.

"This summer, the poultry industry of the United States will lose millions of dollars worth of eggs because these eggs are held at high temperatures on the farm," E. M. Funk, of the department of poultry husbandry, University of Missouri, told delegates to the American Institute of Cooperation recently.

Funk then told the delegates of methods of handling eggs which in-

Mrs. Regina Deckert, who has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Shane of Sabinal, spent Sunday here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Simpson. Others visiting Mrs. Simpson were Mrs. T. F. Woodruff of San Antonio and Mrs. Robert Reynolds of Hondo.

A group of men representing the D'Hanis Business Men's Club went to Uvalde Tuesday for the purpose of securing the assistance of prominent officials towards protecting this vicinity from damaging floods. Among the speakers heard were C. K. Dunlap of the Texas Board of Water Engineers, D. W. Forter of the State Department of Agriculture, as well as Congressman West of Brownsville. Briefs on the damage sustained from floods in recent years in Medina County were filed along with those from fourteen other counties. The D'Hanis delegation consisted of A. J. Boog, J. P. Ephraim, Hy. Biry, F. J. Cayle, M. A. and John Zinsmeyer, Ed Weyand, Jos. Koch, R. R. Carle, Richard Carle, John Rieber, Frank Finger, Richard Wallrath, Emil Wolff, J. F. Kimmerly, Thomas Koch, A. H. Rothe, Oscar Tondre, and Henry Langfeld.

Mrs. John Zinsmeyer returned Sunday from a brief visit to Corpus Christi.

vestigations at the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station had shown to be practical.

"Eggs should be gathered in a wire basket and held in a cool place in the basket, or on wire trays, overnight, to permit all heat to escape from the eggs," he said. "Eggs in a wire basket or tray will cool more rapidly than in a bucket or case. They should not be placed in cases until the temperature of the eggs has been reduced. Germ development continues for several hours when warm eggs are placed in warm cases."

"Use of cool cases aids in keeping eggs cool. Flats and fillers also carry considerable heat which should be removed by cooling them before eggs are cased. Circulating air in the egg room will speed cooling. If the air is dry, the circulation will increase evaporation so that the benefits from rapid cooling may be lost by damage due to increased size of the air cell. The humidity in the cooling room may be kept high by keeping the floor damp and by hanging pieces of wet burlap in the room. This will also tend to reduce the temperature of the room."

"When eggs are cooled on the farm or in the dealer's plant and later exposed to high temperatures in transit, they should be protected by shade and insulation. The farmer will find that wrapping the case in a piece of canvas or blanket and keeping the sun from shining on the case will keep the eggs cool while they are being taken to market."

Howson was showing a friend round his garden. In a corner they came across a flower just opening. "Ah," enthused the friend. "It's wonderful how a tiny seed becomes such a beautiful flower."

"It is," replied Howson, reflectively. "The sparrows must have missed that one."—El Paso World News.

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SPECIAL NOTICE TO POULTRY RAISERS.

(Important Notice)

The annual loss in the United States from diseased poultry exceeds \$100,000,000, caused from parasites that infest fowls. Stop your part of this heavy loss and keep your fowls healthy, in the highest possible annual egg production, free from insects and parasitic contamination and mount them on a paying basis with NATIONAL EGGTRACTOR (Egg-destroyer), the wonder parasite destroyer, poultry builder and intestinal worm remover and egg producer. NATIONAL EGGTRACTOR is nationally advertised, nationally known, nationally accepted. It has no equal and does the work. There is no doubt about it. Here is the test, the proof, and the free goods:

Take or send this special notice to your local dealer whose name appears below and you will receive a large size \$1.00 bottle of this wonderful product, absolutely free regardless of size of purchase. One bottle free to every bottle purchased, for a limited time only. Now you can have this special inexpensive service so you may standardize your poultry in health and in production by wiping out the blue bugs, fleas, mites, lice and all intestinal worms with this wonder germ-parasitic destroyer and tonic builder and put your fowls in the field of profits.

Your money back if dissatisfied. Accept no substitute. Your nearest dealers are F. SPIKES CASH STORE, of D'Hanis, Texas, and W. H. WINDROW, of Hondo, Texas, exclusive local distributors for Medina County, Texas.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION TO BE HELD.

A district meeting of Parent-Teacher Associations and a school of instruction for local Congress Units of the Associations will be held at the high school auditorium in Sabinal, Saturday, September 26, beginning at 9:30 A. M.

The following is the program for the day:

9:30—Call to order.
9:00—Group Singing; leader, Mrs. Hons Richards.

9:45—Announcements.
9:50—Presentation of the significance of the Parent-Teacher Movement—Mrs. Edgar Johnson.

10:15—Special—Hondo.

10:25—Accomplishments of Texas and National Congress—Mrs. A. Y. Troutman.

10:45—Program and Details—Mrs. E. C. Quereau.

11:10—Special—Sabinal.

11:25—Parliamentary Drill—Mrs. Eagle.

11:40—Value of Literature and Corresponding Course—Speaker to be chosen.

12:00—Noon—Basket Lunch at park.

1:00—Group Singing.

1:15—Duties of Officers and Committees—Mrs. A. Y. Troutman.

1:45—Special—Uvalde.

2:00—Membership Dues—Order of Business for a Local Parent-Teacher Association—Mrs. Eagle.

2:20—Special—D'Hanis.

2:30—Special Projects—Several Speakers.

2:50—Symposium and General Discussion.

3:00—Question Box.

3:20—Reports of Registration and Final Announcements.

All members of Congress and officers are urged to be present and all Non-Congress members are invited.

"DON'TS"

1. Don't permit rubbish or waste paper to accumulate; burn it, but not near any building.

2. Don't keep matches where young children can get at them.

3. Don't be careless with cigarette or cigar stubs—or matches.

4. Don't leave only rags or mops in corners where they may start a fire. Keep them in closed metal containers, or wash and hang out to dry.

5. Don't use worn electric cord, or leave electrical appliances connected when finished using them.

6. Don't store gasoline in your house or use it there for cleaning.

7. Don't use kerosene to start fires.

8. Don't use leaky gas hose or connections.

9. Don't fail to place sheet metal under stoves and on woodwork nearby.

10. Don't neglect cleaning and repairing flues and chimneys.

11. Don't put ashes into wooden boxes or cartons. Keep in metal cans.

12. Don't fail to protect open lights and to screen open fireplaces.

13. Don't thaw frozen pipes with open flame; use only rags wet with hot water.

14. Don't look in clothes closets with lighted matches.

L. A. MECHLER, Chief Hondo Volunteer Fire Dept.

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FROM BANDERA.

From Bandera New Era.

Miss Marie Mangold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mangold of the Lake, left recently for San Antonio to attend the Incarnate Word College.

Rudy and Edwin Sprott of the upper Hondo were here Sunday.

PIPE CREEK.

Mrs. Gus Reinarz, Mrs. Gene George and Mrs. August Schott spent several days this week in Big Springs visiting Mrs. Reinarz' and Mrs. Schott's sister, Harriet.

Mr. and Mrs. John Callahan and daughter, Gloria Jean, have returned to Pipe Creek after spending the last year in Los Angeles, Calif.

STATION C. AND VANDERPOOL.

Joe Hans has returned home after being under the care of a physician at Uvalde for some time.

E. M. Peters took his little sons to Hondo Saturday to put them in school there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Haby and family were guests in the George Haby home Saturday evening.

We were recently favored with a visit by Fletcher Davis and his talented daughter, Miss Anne Davis, of Hondo, Texas. Mr. Davis, like the editor of Frontier Times, has a hobby. His hobby is Fletcher's Farming, a real high class farm magazine, published monthly at Hondo, Texas, and it has a circulation from Maine to California.

Fletcher's Farming was established in 1922, just a year before the advent of Frontier Times, and Mr. Davis very kindly donated a complete file of Volume I of his publication to our museum, which we very much appreciate and count it among our treasures. For several years now his excellent weekly newspaper, the Hondo Anvil Herald, has been edited by his daughter, Miss Anne, while Mr. Davis devotes most of his time to his hobby.—Frontier Times.

SLOGANS.

Don't smoke yourself out of a job. What civilization has gained, fire destroys.

Fight fire hazards and you'll fight fewer fires.

Never give a fire the benefit of a doubt.

Clean up or burn down.

An ounce of prevention is worth a ton of ashes.

Make every week a Fire Prevention Week.

Prevent fires and preserve cash.

Fire losses beat against the very foundations of credit.

Panic is infectious, only stoutest hearts can stand against it.

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Castroville Cullings

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

W. F. NAEGELIN, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Naegelin or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Naegelin is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1936

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Best of Santa Anna, Orange County, California, are spending several weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Whitehead. Mr. Best is a farmer and ranchman with property bordering on the Pacific Ocean.

Gov. James V. Allred, with a large party of friends, was a Castroville visitor Sunday. From here they went up to the Medina Lake where a good road meeting was held Sunday afternoon.

Robert Purrell was a San Antonio visitor Tuesday.

A hard shower of rain fell here Monday evening, but more is needed.

Mrs. Arthur Holzhaus was taken to the hospital at Hondo Sunday for medical treatment. At this writing she is reported as somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Oerter of San Antonio returned Sunday from a two weeks vacation. After visiting the Centennial celebration at Dallas they left for West Texas, and also going through New Mexico, Colorado, and were at the top of Pikes' Peak in the latter State. They then traveled north through Wyoming, turning west through Utah, Nevada, then turned south through Arizona, visiting Boulder Dam, and then on down to El Paso. From El Paso to San Antonio the trip was made in one day. They had a delightful time.

Little Willie, who was vacationing on the farm, was being reprimanded for coming down so late to breakfast.

Sleepily he said: "I bent to wed at sunset, but didn't det a slink of weep on askeet of the counters till klix o'clock."

"John, you are a sick man. Are you ready to die?"

"Well, maybe, but I think I would like to stay where I am better acquainted."

With men winning a knitting test in Boston and prizes for Chicago, women don't seem to any more except as singing bar for the radio.—El Paso World.

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Sunday, Oct. 4th

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